The Antique Gift Shop

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Donning a disguise complete with a pair of antique glasses for an impending (and potentially embarrassing) doctor's appointment, Bun-Nyuh never expected to find true love in the waiting room! But when the handsome young physician seems equally floored by her, a romantic escapade might just be around the corner. However, love at first sight is not all it seems, especially when you're looking at the world through someone else's glasses...

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HEY, KID,
DON'T BE SAD.
WE CAN'T STOP SOMEONE LEAVING US ANY MORE THAN WE CAN STOP TIME.
KID...
DON'T BE SAD.
WE ONLY PART FROM ONE ANOTHER SO THAT WE MAY MEET AGAIN.

SUMMER'S OVER. WHY WOULD YOU GO ON A VACATION NOW? WHERE WOULD YOU GO?
I'M GOING TO MY HOME-TOWN.
DO WHAT YOU WANT, BUT I WON'T PAY YOU WHILE YOU'RE GONE
DIE.

DIE, YOU WITCH!
BA-BOOM
BAM
BAM
DING
DING
DING
TSK-TSK...
BOOM
I CAN'T BELIEVE SHE DIED SO SUDDENLY THAT OLD SHAMAN WOMAN PRAYED FOR HER DEMISE
DING
DING
DING

TSK-TSK- THAT POOR GIRL.
YOU KILLED MOM..
I GUESS IT'S OKAY, THOUGH... SHE WAS CRAZY WHEN SHE WAS ALIVE WHICH MAY BE WHY SHE CAN'T FIND ME, NOT EVEN IN MY DREAMS

KID, DON'T BE SAD

PEOPLE MAY PART FROM ONE ANOTHER, BUT THEY ALWAYS MEET AGAIN

EVEN YOU AND I WILL MEET AGAIN.

AND LONG AGO...WE MAY HAVE ALREADY MET AND PARTED.

GO AND STOP. GO AND STOP. THAT'S LIFE.

THERE IS
ONLY TIME
IN BETWEEN.

Chapter 9
Bun-Hong

WHAT THE HECK IS THIS?!
GO AND GET SOMETHING TO PUT UNDER THE POT!
I WAS HANGING OUTSIDE THE WINDOW ALL NIGHT, BUT YOU ONLY COOKED RAMEN FOR ME?
YOU'RE MEAN. SO, SO MEAN!
DON'T EAT THEN!

IS TODAY A SPECIAL OCCASION?
WHY?
YOU CIRCLED THE DATE ON THE CALENDAR
SLURP!
12
DON'T TAKE IT ALL!
CLK
YOU'RE STINGY! YOU ONLY MADE ONE SERVING!!

WHERE DID MR. YANG GO FOR HIS VACATION?
HIS HOME-TOWN
WHAT KIND OF PLACE MAKES A GUY LIKE THAT?
WOOTOK

CREAK

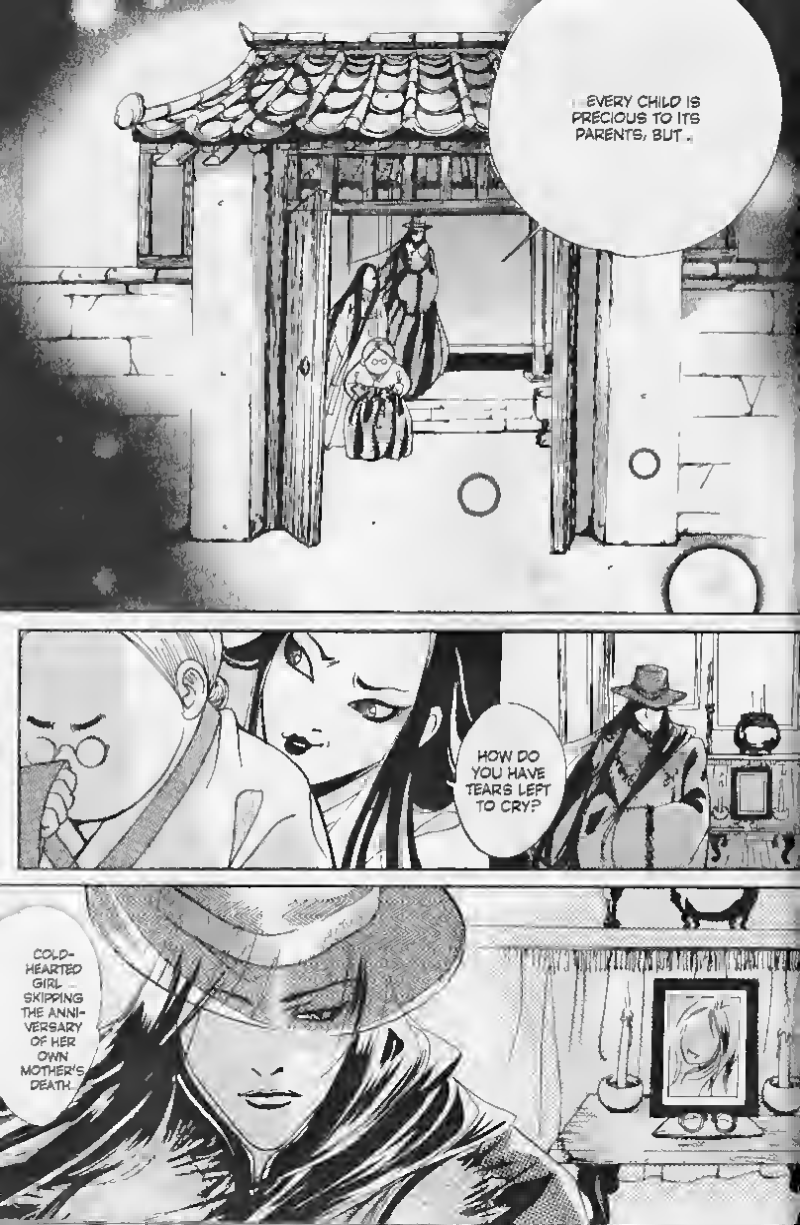
I GUESS SHE WON'T COME THIS YEAR EITHER
IT'S MY FAULT
DON'T WAIT FOR HER SHE WOULDN'T EVEN PEE IN THIS DIRECTION
PLEASE, DON'T BLAME YOURSELF

I WASN'T ABLE TO PROTECT MYSELF
I LEFT YOU WITH A HUGE BURDEN
PEOPLE SAY A CHILD IS A FLOWER THAT GROWS WITH A PARENT'S TEARS.
SADLY, I NOT ONLY CAUSED YOUR TEARS, BUT MY OWN CHILD'S, AS WELL.
SHE PROBABLY NEEDED ME...
SHE PROBABLY HAD A LOT OF STORIES TO TELL ME...

I SHOULD HAVE PROTECTED HER...
COCK-A-DOODLE-DOO!
YOU NEED TO GO NOW.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU WANT FROM HER.

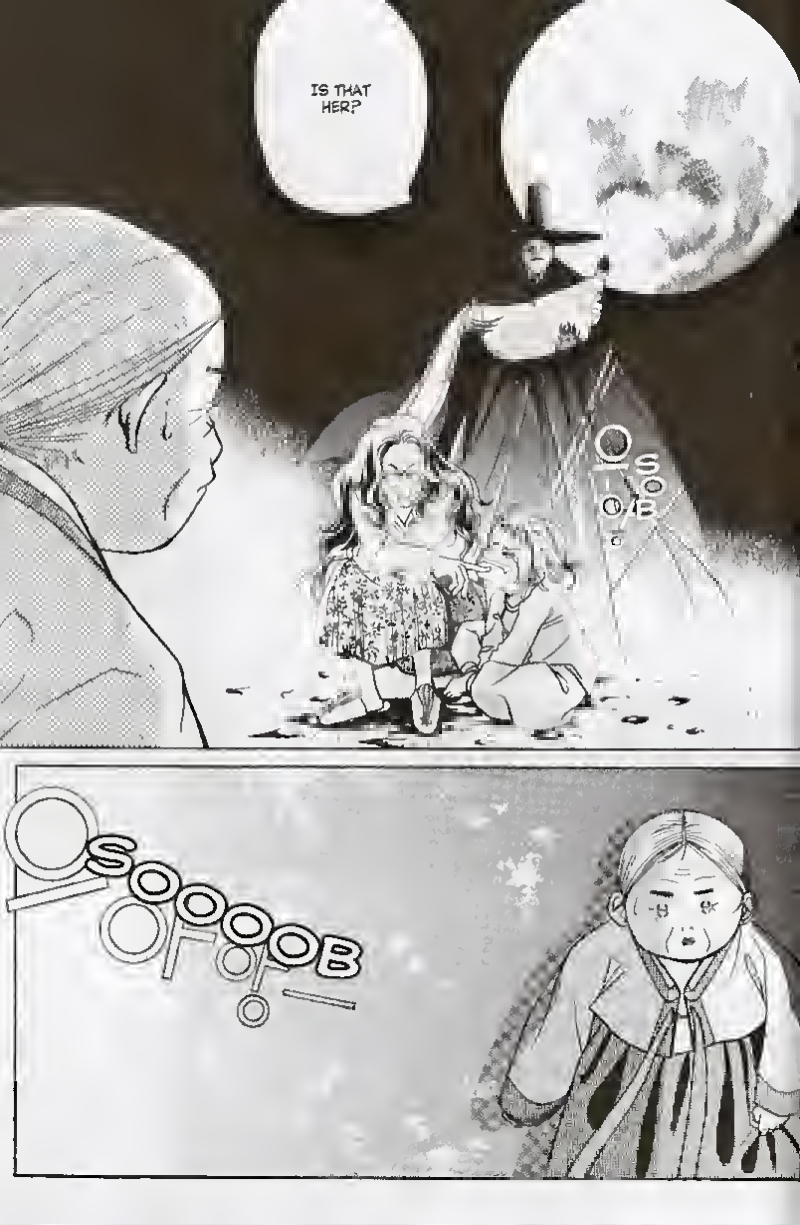
...BUT I'M GOING TO MAKE SURE THAT BUN-NYUH LIVES THE LIFE SHE WANTS.

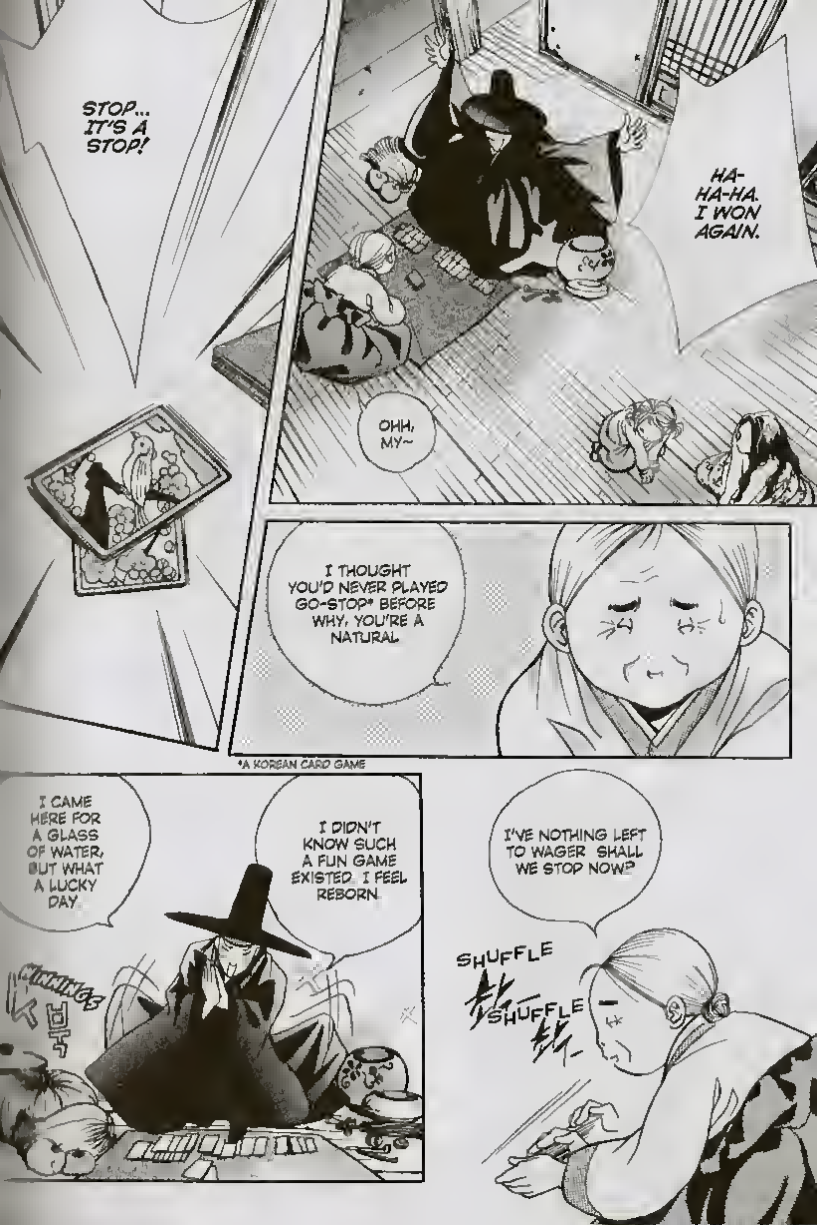
SEE YOU NEXT YEAR, MOTHER...
AND, PLEASE, STOP MAKING THAT FACE I DON'T HOLD A GRUDGE
I'D HAVE DONE THE SAME THING IN YOUR PLACE
AH!


EVERY CHILD IS PRECIOUS TO ITS PARENTS; BUT...
HOW DO YOU HAVE TEARS LEFT TO CRY?
COLD-HEARTED GIRL... SKIPPING THE ANNI-VERSARY OF HER OWN MOTHER'S DEATH.

MOTHER... I DON'T HOLD A GRUDGE
I'D HAVE DONE THE SAME THING IN YOUR PLACE
EVEN IF I COULD RELIVE THAT NIGHT ONE THOUSAND TIMES.
...I'D DO THE SAME THING.

BUN. NYUH. CHO.


IS THAT HER?
SOOOOB


STOP... IT'S A STOP!
HA-HA-HA. I WON AGAIN.
OHH, MY~
I THOUGHT YOU'D NEVER PLAYED GO-STOP* BEFORE WHY, YOU'RE A NATURAL
*A KOREAN CARD GAME
I CAME HERE FOR A GLASS OF WATER, BUT WHAT A LUCKY DAY
I DIDN'T KNOW SUCH A FUN GAME EXISTED. I FEEL REBORN
I'VE NOTHING LEFT TO WAGER. SHALL WE STOP NOW?
SHUFFLE
SHUFFLE

I COULD PUT UP THE HOUSE OR A LAND DEED, BUT THEY'RE NO GOOD TO YOU
HMM.
COME DOOWN! DON'T ANGER THE SPIRITS!
....
SHRINE!
I WANT MY OWN SHRINE!!
IF I WIN THIS TIME, BUILD ME A SHRINE.
YOU HAVE YOURSELF A WAGER.
I'LL TELL GRANDMA ON YOU

HA
HA
HA
HAW-HAW-HAW YOU LOST TEN TIMES STRAIGHT! HOW CAN YOU HOPE TO BEAT ME?
BUT WHAT WILL YOU GIVE ME IF I WIN?
HA
GRANDMA, I'M BORED.
HA
HA
IF I WIN, YOU LET MY GRANDDAUGHTER LIVE.

NO WAY!
YOU CAN'T CORRUPT A GREEN RUPERT!
TAKE ME INSTEAD OF HER
GREEN RUPERT MAINTAINS THE DEATH LIST, SO NO ONE WILL EVEN KNOW IF YOU SWITCH THE NAMES
TSK-TSK. AND YOU WERE SO SURE YOU'D WIN
OH, WELL I GUESS THERE'S NO SHRINE FOR YOU
SHUFFLE
VICTORY IS MINE
I'VE ALREADY WON TEN TIMES!
I WILL HAVE MY OWN SHRINE!
FINE!

ONE ROUND WINNER TAKES ALL.
GO AWAY, KID. YOU'RE ANNOYING.
YOU CAN'T SEE MY CARDS
I GO FIRST
TIK
TIK

LOOK~! MY NAME IS ON THIS PAPER~!
BUN NYUH CHO
조
분
너
HEART ATTACK

BUN NYUH CHO
조
분
너
BUN~ NYUH~ CHO~

WHAT ABOUT MY NAME?
YOUR NAME

WRITE MY NAME TOO~! MY NAME~!
FLAP
바닥
FLAP
바닥
조
분

MY NAME~! MY NAME~!

WE CAN USE THIS~!
WRITE MY NAME NOW!!
ETOK
ETOK
ETOK
ETOK
FWAK
IT'S A STOP.

D-DID YOU TRICK ME? YOU'RE AN EXPERT AT THIS GAME!
YOU NEED TO LEARN ABOUT THE HUSTLE. LOSE THE SMALL ROUNDS IN ANTICIPATION OF THE BIG SCORE.
YOU LET ME WIN ON PURPOSE?!
WE MADE A DEAL, GREEN RUPERT
YOUR GRANDDAUGHTER MAY BE TOO YOUNG TO DIE, BUT DO YOU REALLY WANT TO LEAVE HER WITH HER CRAZY MOTHER?
HUH?
HUH?! MY LIST'S GONE!
HEE-HEE-HEE~ MY NAME

BUN-HONG!
THIS IS MY NAME
BUN HONG CHI
BIG SISTER WROTE IT FOR ME.
GOOT-TOOTS-TOO
GIVE IT TO ME! HURRY!

DO YOU WANT TO DIE? GIVE IT BACK TO ME. QUICK!
PAUSE
THERE'S NO TIME!
YOUR GRAND-DAUGHTER MAY BE TOO YOUNG TO DIE, BUT DO YOU REALLY WANT TO LEAVE HER WITH HER CRAZY MOTHER?
NOOO-! IT'S MINE!
GRAB!

LEAVE IT.
SQUEEZE
.PLEASE, JUST LEAVE IT.
PLEASE

..BUN HONG..
..CHO..

MY NAME...
THUD

WOOOT

CH-CHUK
CH-CHUK
HERE IT IS.
BUT WHAT DO YOU NEED THIS FOR?
CH-CHUK
CH-CHUK
CH-CHUK

Chapter 10
Suspicious Relationship

SQUEEZE
UUURGH~ I'M DYING.

I FEEL SICK AND CAN BARELY LIFT MY LEGS. IT FEELS LIKE SOMEONE IS SQUEEZING MY TUMMY REALLY HARD.
STOP COMPLAINING AND GO SEE A DOCTOR.

FOR A CELEBRITY LIKE MYSELF, VISITING A GYNECOLOGIST ISN'T EASY.
A SINGLE GIRL, HALF-NAKED, SPREADING MY LEGS...
THUMP
MIC materials

D-DOES ...
...THE DOCTOR LOOK AT YOU TH-TH-THERE?

THAT'S NOT ALL. THE DOCTOR STICKS SOMETHING IN THERE, AND
NOOO~!
STOP! STOP TALKING!
GUESS WHAT THAT SOMETHING IS
I GUESS YOU DON'T HAVE SEVERE CRAMPS?
OR HAVEN'T YOU GOTTEN YOUR PERIOD YET? YOU NEVER HAD ONE ALL THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL...
I'M NOT A LITTLE KID!
PEOPLE SAY YOU GET THESE TRAITS FROM YOUR MOM AND MY MOM HAVE SUCH A HARD TIME EVERY MONTH~?
AHH, MY BACK
STOP BEING A BABY
HELL RISE

YOU'RE SO MEAN...

ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP

MISTER~

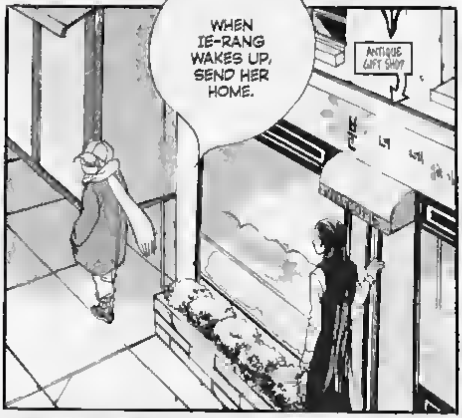
IT'S ME~! DID I SCARE YOU?
ARE YOU ON THE RUN FROM THE LAW?
THE SUN-GLASSES ARE TOO MUCH, AREN'T THEY?
SHIP
I NEED SOMETHING A LITTLE MORE NORMAL
WHAT ARE THOSE?
NEW ANTIQUES?

A THIMBLE...
...A COMB, MARBLES~
WHAT A LOAD OF JUNK.
OOH, NICE~
THESE LOOK ALL RIGHT.

THEY'RE CLASSIC.
WHOOSH
FLIZZY
AHH

I FEEL DIZZY
NICE TO SEE YOU AGAIN
WHAT?

THOSE GLASSES SUIT YOU.

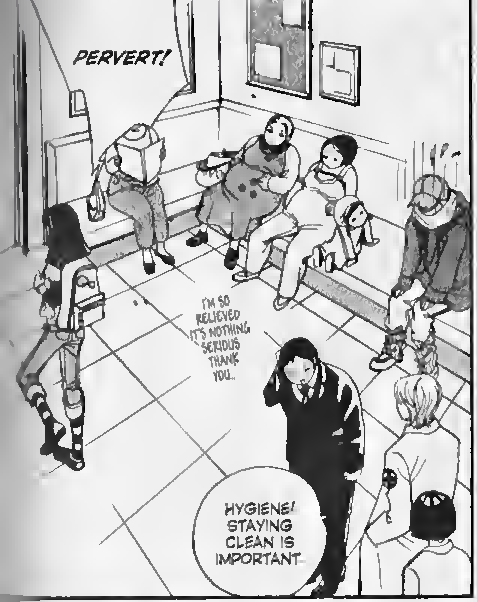


HAVE A GOOD TIME

YOU TWO

TAE-KYUNG HAN
-OBSTETRICS &
GYNECOLOGY-
3075 5000
WHAT'RE YOU LOOKING AT?! YOU'RE ALL HERE TO SHOW YOUR THINGS TO THE DOCTOR TOO!!

I HEARD THE DOCTOR IS VERY THOROUGH
WELL, HE'S A WEIRDO, BUT HE'S THE BEST HOO-HA DOC AROUND
AHH NO I CAN'T DO THIS I CAN'T SHOW HIM... THERE
WHAM!
I'LL NEVER COME BACK HERE!
YOUR PERIOD'S IRREGULAR AND YOUR PRIVATES ITCH BECAUSE YOU'RE WEARING THOSE TIGHT JEANS.
WHAT I'M WEARING IS NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS.


PERVERT!
I'M SO RELIEVED IT'S NOTHING SERIOUS THANK YOU..
HYGIENE! STAYING CLEAN IS IMPORTANT

KIDDO! IF I SEE YOU NOT WEARING PANTIES AGAIN, I'LL TAN YOUR HIDE!
HURRY UP, DAAAD~!

!

YOU'RE SO ANNOYING! I SHOULD'VE BROUGHT MOM!!
YOUR MOTHER WAS BUSY~!
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO EAT HONEY?

- SHE CAME HERE WITH HER FATHER?

GRANDMA...
...GRANDMA, WHERE DID I COME FROM? WHY DON'T I HAVE A FATHER?
YOU...
YOU ARE...
...NYUH?
...NYUH?
MAYBE SHE LEFT.
PARENTS ARE ESSENTIAL O OCCASION LIKE THI
GIVE ME THAT.

I'M HERE!
BUN-NYUH CHO!

THUMP
AH, MY SOULMATE!
SLIP
MISS BUN-NYUH CHOP
?

THUMP
THUMP
I FEEL NAUSEOUS...
THUMP
...MY LEGS ARE WEAK, AND...
...MY HEART'S POUNDING SO FAST...
MISS, DON'T BE NERVOUS. PLEASE RELAX~!

YOU ARE OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW WHEN YOU'RE SICK, DON'T YOU THINK?
WHEN DID YOU HAVE YOUR LAST PERIOD?
SHUDDER
HE'LL MAKE ME SPREAD MY LEGS, AND HE'LL LOOK—
—THERE!
BLUSH
BLUSH
RISE
I'LL COME BACK ANOTHER TIME!
SPINNN

CRUMPLE
DR. TAE-KYUNG HAN

YOU...
SQUISH
UMM~
AHHH~

I FOUND OUT
MY SOUL MATE~!
HE SAID, "COME BACK... AFTER OFFICE HOURS."
TEARS?
AND I SAW TEARS IN HIS EYES. HE MUST'VE FALLEN IN LOVE WITH ME AT FIRST SIGHT...
JUST LIKE I FELL IN LOVE WITH HIM AT FIRST SIGHT! JUST LIKE A MOVIE!
ANTIQUE CAFE SHOP
DAMMIT. HEE-HEE-HEE~! IT'S KISMET~!!

HERE
YOUR STORY'S TOUGH TO SWALLOW, BUT IF HE IS HANDSOME AND YOUNG AND HAS HIS OWN PRACTICE...
SHHK
...YOU JUST WON THE LOTTERY.
BEFORE HE COMES TO HIS SENSES—

...SEDUCE HIM.

IS THIS HOW FEMALE FRIENDSHIPS WORK..?
AND TAKE OFF THOSE GLASSES YOU LOOK GEEKY
HO-HO-HO DON'T I LOOK SMART?

AND...
...I'VE ALWAYS GOTTEN SCHOLARSHIPS, FROM JUNIOR HIGH RIGHT UNTIL I TOOK MY BREAK FROM UNIVERSITY.
EVEN THOUGH I'M RUNNING MY OWN ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP, I STILL WANT TO FINISH MY DEGREE

WHY IS THIS DRESS SO TIGHT~?!!
I WANTED TO GO TO A MEDICAL SCHOOL, BUT
OH~! I TALK TOO MUCH, DON'T I?
I USUALLY DON'T TALK ABOUT MYSELF, BUT IT'S KIND OF A STRANGE DAY~!
MY THROAT HURTS..

POUR
IT'S A GOOD THING YOU DIDN'T GO TO MEDICAL SCHOOL
Capri
THANK Y—
YOU'RE SO POLITE!
WHY WOULD YOU WANNA GO BACK TO SCHOO ANYWAY? MAKE YOUR MONEY NOW WHILE YOU'RE STILL YOUNG
EVEN THE BIGGEST BLOCKHEAD THINKS HE CAN BE A DOCTOR NOWADAYS

PERSONALITY: MEAN SNOB
YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'VE GOT A HEAD FOR BUSINESS
DRIP
DRIP
DRIP
HE IS MY IDEAL MAN~!!
DO YOU WANNA GO TO THE CRYING NUT* CONCERT? DON'T YOU LOVE THEIR NEW SONG?
WHO'S THAT?
OH, WHAT BANDS DO YOU LIKE?
DURAN DURAN
W-WHAT ABOUT KOREAN SINGERS?
OCK-BUN NAM-GOONG **
IN-SUN! **
*A KOREAN BAND
**POPULAR SINGERS IN THE '80S

HA-HA-HA YOU LIKE OLD MUSIC.
EH?!
RUB
RUB
WHAT'S THAT UGLY THING?!!
IS THAT A W-W-W—
SHINE
WEDDING RING?!

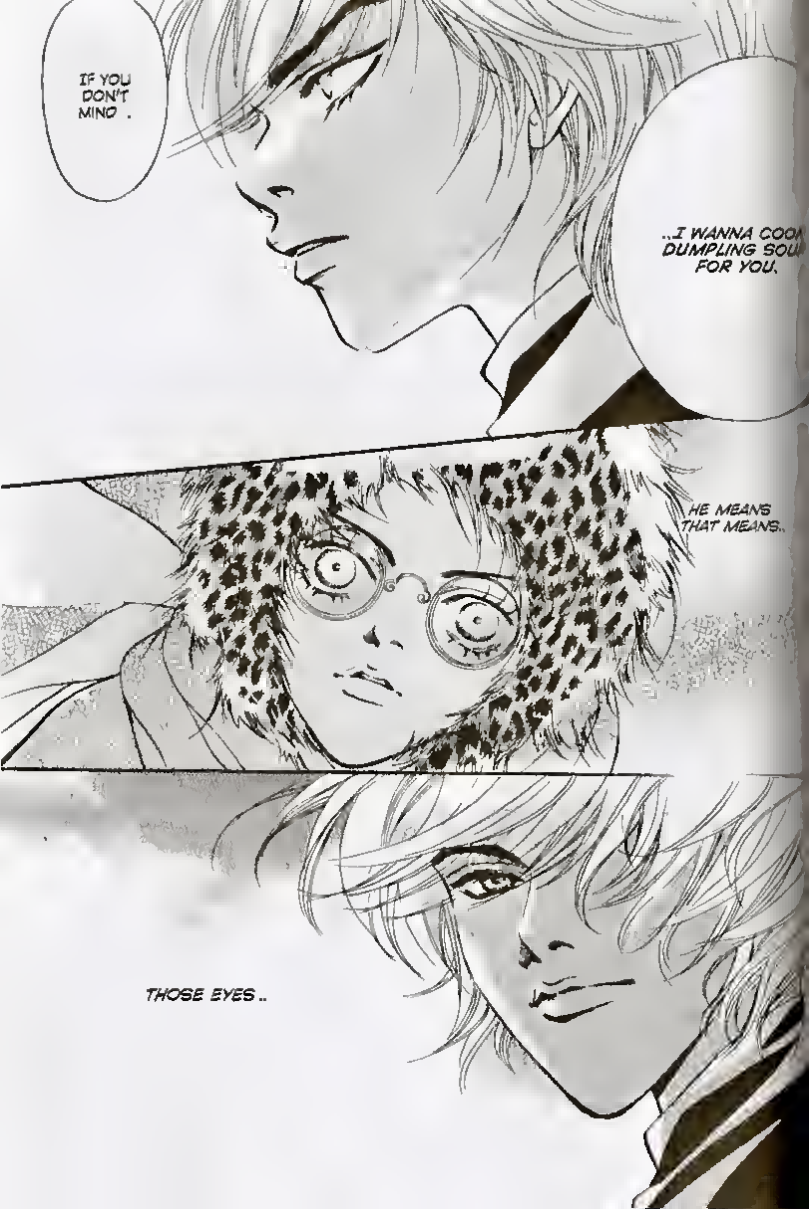
MY
...MY WIFE RAN AWAY.

...SO, THAT MEANS...
GULP
..HE'S A LONELY MAN WITH A BROKEN HEART
HIS EYES ARE FILLED WITH LONELINESS! HE WANTS ME TO COMFORT HIM!
THE REASON I'M TELLING YOU THIS IS...

I DON'T CARE!
RIIIP
RIIIP
E!
WHAT'S THIS?

I'M SORRY.
THIS WASN'T WHAT I HAD IN MIND..
MY DRESS TORE, AND HE FOUND OUT I STUFF MY BRA!
SHIVER
SHIVER
WHAT WERE YOU THINKIN... WEARING TH... CLOTHES?

THIS IS HOW YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO DRESS.
SNICKER
THIS IS WRONG...
DO YOU LIKE DUMPLING SOUP?
GRROWL

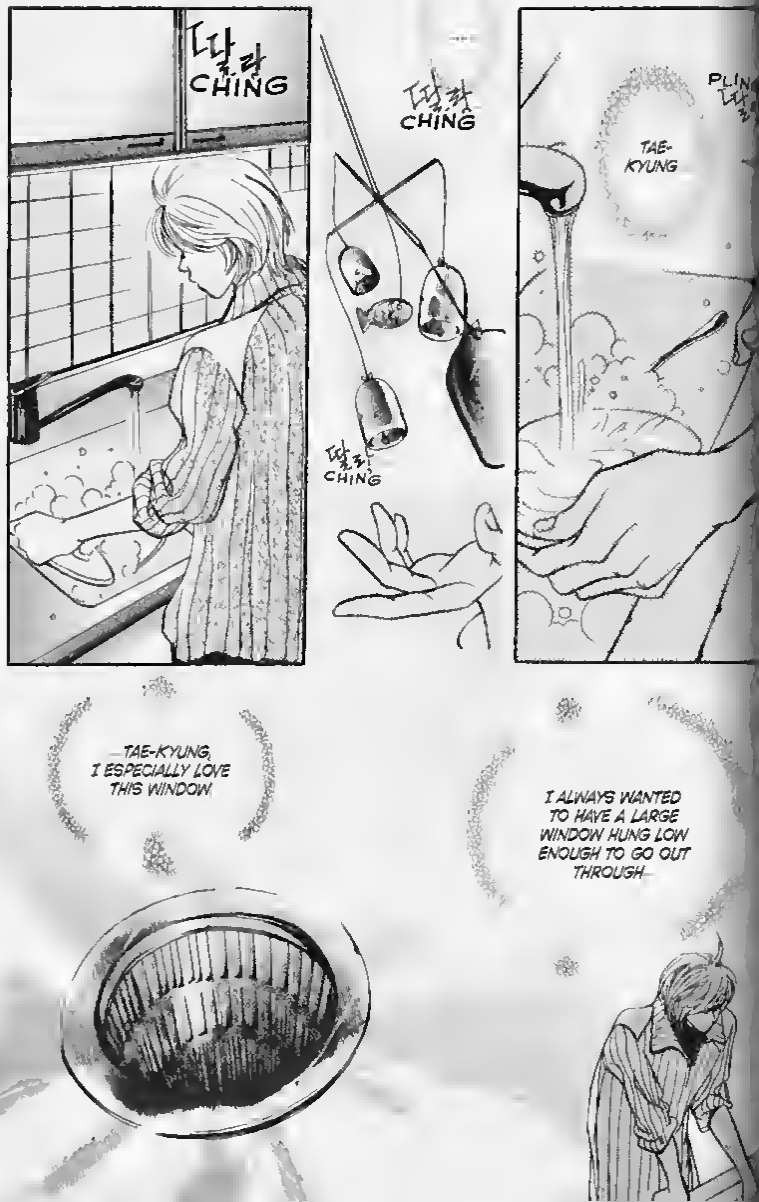

IF YOU DON'T MIND .
..I WANNA COOK DUMPLING SOUP FOR YOU.
HE MEANS THAT MEANS..
THOSE EYES ..

SEDUCE HIM
THAT DRESS WAS MY WIFE'S. GOOD THING I DIDN'T THROW IT OUT..
SEDUCE HIM!
IT'S WAY OUT OF STYLE..
자빠뜨리다
SEDUCE HIM.

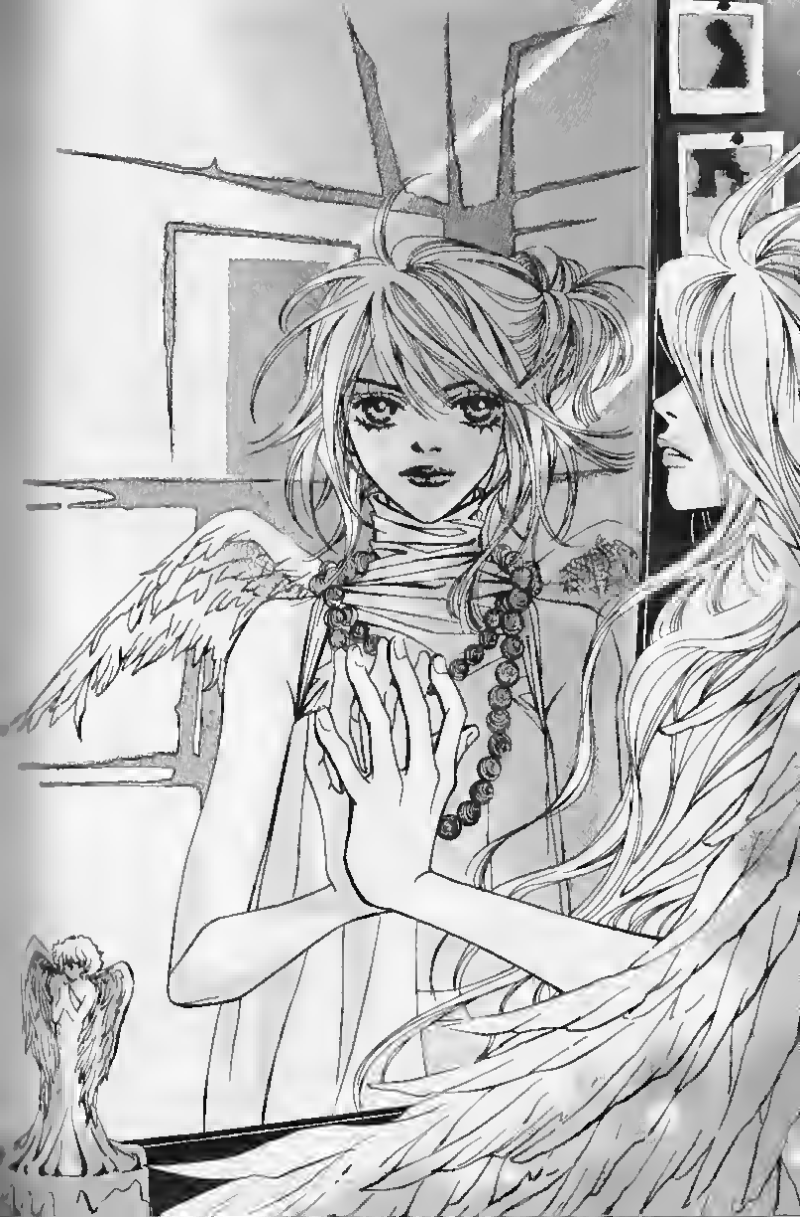
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? ARE YOU GOING TO EAT ON THE BED LIKE A KID?
SCRATCH SCRATCH
AHH, SO ITCHY
IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I COOKED. I'M NOT SURE IF IT'LL BE ANY GOOD.
GULP
OHH~ IT'S AWE-SOME
IT TASTES LIKE MY MOM'S DUMPLING SOUP~!
THAT'S NOT POSSIBLE THIS BROTH IS MY OWN CONCOCTION, DEVELOPED WHILE I WAS LIVING ALONE
BY THE WAY, WHY DID YOU NEED TO SEE A GYNECOLOGIST?
PHHHT
....!

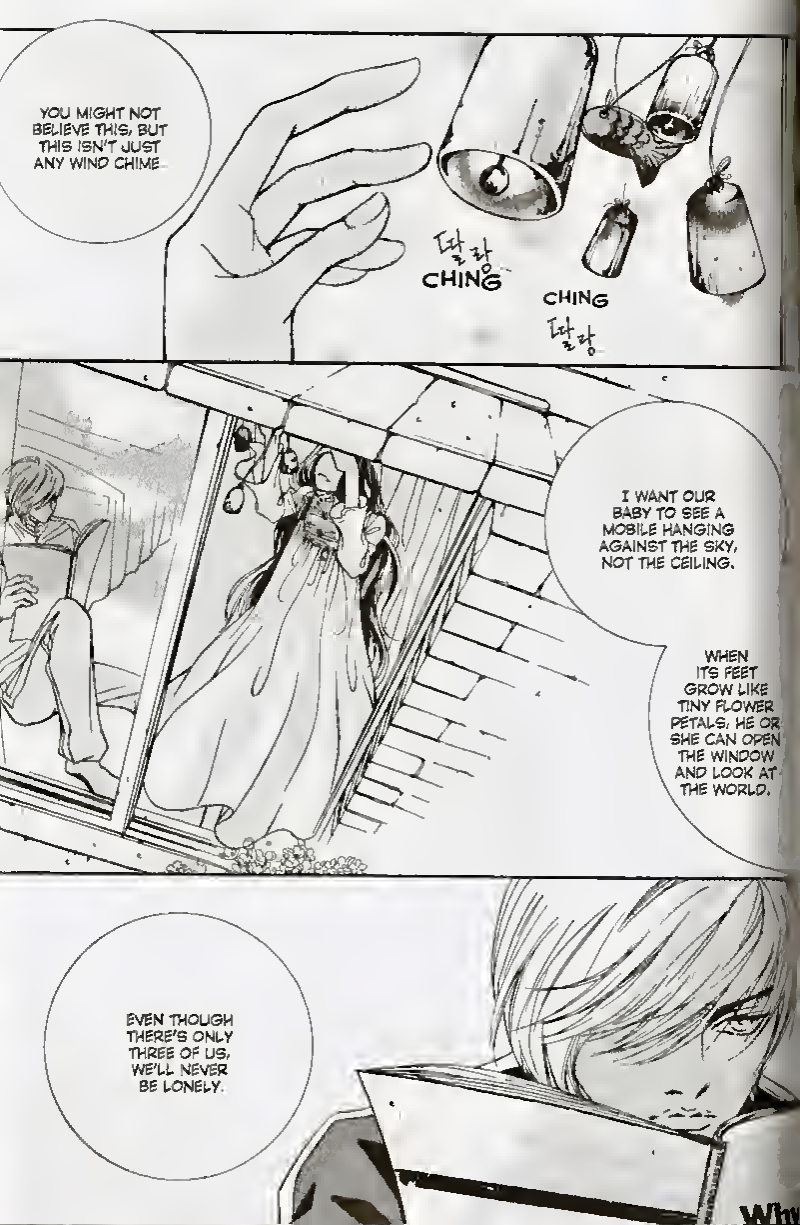
THIS PLACE IS COZY
I'VE HAD THIS APARTMENT FOR SOME TIME NOW. MY WIFE AND I MOVED IN AFTER OUR WEDDING.
CLANK
CLANK
CLANK
CLANK
A LITTLE TOO COZY, ACTUALLY.

IT WASN'T FIT FOR A DOG WHEN WE GOT HERE, BUT MY WIFE FIXED IT UP. SO MUCH SO I CAN'T STOP LOVING IT.
HMPH. STOP TALKING ABOUT YOUR RUNAWAY WIFE.


CHING
CHING
CHING
PLIN
TAE-KYUNG
—TAE-KYUNG, I ESPECIALLY LOVE THIS WINDOW
I ALWAYS WANTED TO HAVE A LARGE WINDOW HUNG LOW ENOUGH TO GO OUT THROUGH—

I ESPECIALLY LOVE THIS WINDOW
따라
PLING!
따라
CHING!
I ALWAYS WANTED TO HAVE
...A LARGE WINDOW HUNG LOW ENOUGH TO GO OUT THROUGH...




YOU MIGHT NOT BELIEVE THIS, BUT THIS ISN'T JUST ANY WIND CHIME.
CHING
CHING
I WANT OUR BABY TO SEE A MOBILE HANGING AGAINST THE SKY, NOT THE CEILING.
WHEN ITS FEET GROW LIKE TINY FLOWER PETALS, HE OR SHE CAN OPEN THE WINDOW AND LOOK AT THE WORLD.
EVEN THOUGH THERE'S ONLY THREE OF US, WE'LL NEVER BE LONELY.

I DON'T LIKE BABIES
DON'T SAY THINGS YOU DON'T MEAN
STOP IT—
ARE YOU BEING SAY?
I KNOW YOU'LL BE A GOOD FATHER
Why the
lines and
appear on

BANG
BANG
?!
BANG
BANG
IT MUST BE THE LANDLORD I HAVEN'T PAID THIS MONTH'S RENT YET.
GO ON, GET READY FOR CLASS.

SHHHK
ISN'T THAT WHAT YOU WANT? STAY AWAY FROM MY SON!
MOTHER!
YOU COME FROM NOTHING! HOW DARE YOU SEDUCE MY SON?!
PLEASE, GET OUT.
WHISTLE
STOP SHOWING OFF YOUR WEALTH
UNFORTUNATE WOMAN
WHISTLE

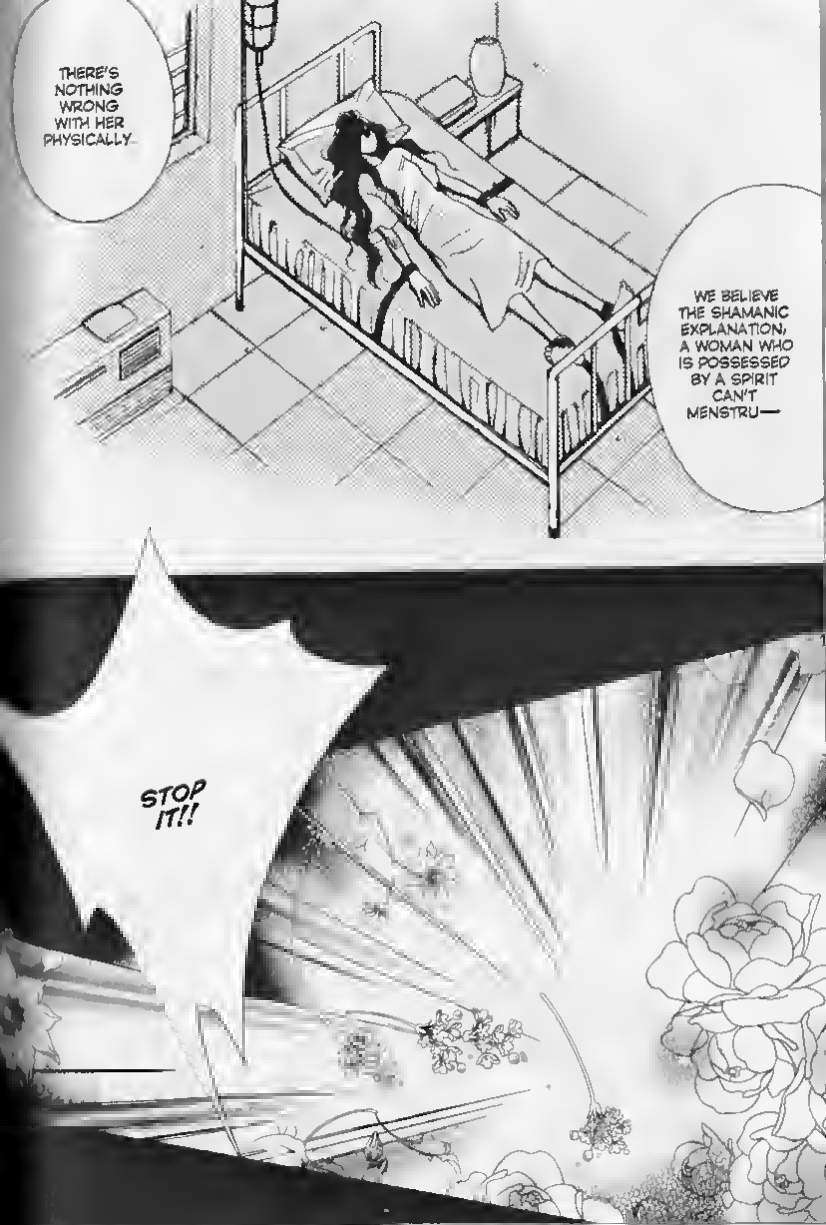
DO YOU EVEN KNOW WHO I AM~?!
YOUR HUSBAND DIED YOUNG BECAUSE YOU'RE BAD LUCK. ISN'T THAT ENOUGH TRAGEDY FOR YOU, YOU WITCH !?
SH-SHE'S CRAZY ISN'T SHE?
PLEASE, DON'T BE MEAN TO HER, GRANDMA. HER HEART ACHES
IT HURT

OH, POOR, POOR BABY~
SNIFF
STAY BACK. SHE'S TALKING LIKE A CHILD.
...
WHERE ARE YOU, TAE-KYUNG?
SHE'S LOST HER MIND ~!
FREEZE
...I CAN'T SEE...
...I CAN'T SEE YOU

I CAN'T SEE YOU. I CAN'T.
BA-BAM
BONGGG
STOP!!
BONGGG
STOP! PLEASE STOP THE NOISE!!
BONGGG
TING
TING
TING

SHE FINALLY FELL ASLEEP. I GAVE HER A SEDATIVE, BUT IT DIDN'T WORK.
CHUNG-AM HOSPITAL
청 아 병 원
EMERGENCY ROOM
응 급 실
FLOWERS?
THEY'RE HER FAVORITE. I THOUGHT THEY MIGHT HELP HER CALM DOWN...
LET'S TRANSFER HER TO THE PSYCHIATRIC WARD
I COULDN'T DO ANY-THING
DID SHE NOTICE HOW FRIGHTENED I WAS?

HAVE YOU HEARD OF SOMETHING CALLED "THE SHAMAN SICKNESS"?
YOU KNOW... MY AUNT IS A SHAMAN.
SHE SUDDENLY STARTED WHISTLING AND TALKING NONSENSE, AND SHE GOT SICK FOR NO REASON. THAT'S WHEN THE VISIONS STARTED.
YOUR WIFE, SHE WAS TESTED FOR NOT HAVING HER PERIOD, RIGHT?


THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH HER PHYSICALLY
WE BELIEVE THE SHAMANIC EXPLANATION, A WOMAN WHO IS POSSESSED BY A SPIRIT CAN'T MENSTRU—
STOP IT!!

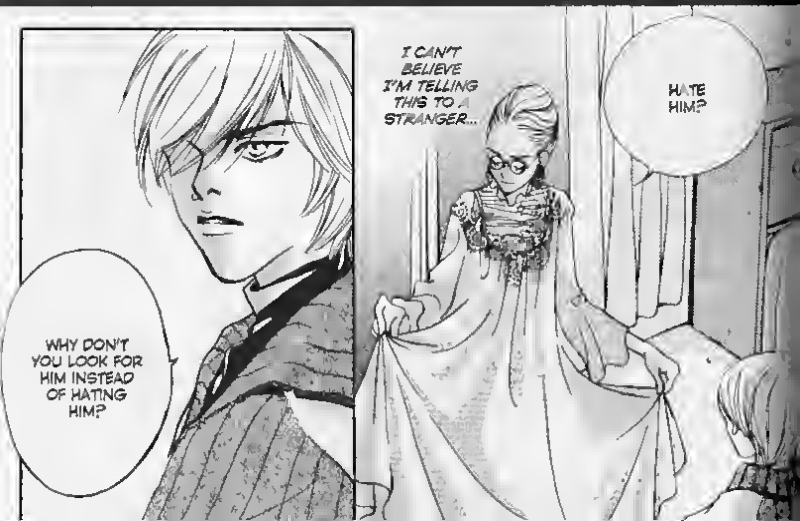
FAH
OKRA-
-KOW
I SHOULDN'T HAVE TOLD YOU THAT
OH
WATCH OUT
ARE YOU OKAY?

SO, WHAT HAPPENED ...?
DID YOU BELIEVE THEM?
SHE DISAPPEARED FROM THE HOSPITAL. THAT WAS THE LAST TIME I SAW HER...
WE WERE TOGETHER THREE AND A HALF YEARS, YET I KNEW NOTHING ABOUT HER
SO I COULDN'T ACCEPT ANYTHING. EVEN "SHAMAN SICKNESS."

I UNDERSTAND IF YOU FEEL UNCOMFORTABLE WEARING THAT DRESS AFTER WHAT I TOLD YOU
YOUR MOM'S PREFERENCE?
MY GRAND MA'S.
WHEN I WAS A KID, I DREAMED OF HAVING A PINK DRESS JUST LIKE THIS ONE
WE HAD TO BE PRACTICAL SINCE WE WERE ALWAYS SEARCHING FOR MY CRAZY MOM
BUT I ONLY EVER HAD BLACK OR GRAY PANTS

I...
I ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT MY DAD.
SHE RAN AWAY TO SEOUL, GOT PREGNANT WITH ME, AND LOST HER MIND.
GRANDMA...
GRANDMA... WHERE DID I COME FROM? WHY DON'T I HAVE A FATHER?
YOU.
YOU ARE-

YOU ARE FROM THE HEAVENS.
I ALWAYS WONDERED...
...WHY DIDN'T HE COME TO FIND ME... OR MOM?


I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M TELLING THIS TO A STRANGER...
HATE HIM?
WHY DON'T YOU LOOK FOR HIM INSTEAD OF HATING HIM?

YOU'RE MORE MATURE THAN YOU LOOK.
IT'S HARD TO MISS OR HATE SOMEONE YOU'VE NEVER MET.

YOU..
F-FINALLY, HE'S MAKING A MOVE..!
...HAVE GROWN UP WELL.
GULP

OH...
...DAMN...
...IT!
WHAT DOES THAT MEAN? CAN'T HE CALL ME "CUTE" OR "LOVELY"?
HE'S A WEIRDO IF THAT HOLLYWOOD FAIRY TALE YOU TOLD IS TRUE, HE SHOULD'VE PUT SERIOUS MOVES ON YOU
ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP
IT'S NOT THAT EASY~
WHY DIDN'T YOU MAKE THE FIRST MOVE...?

LET YOUR ANIMAL INSTINCTS RUN WILD.
IF YOU LIKE SOMEONE
...IT'S NATURAL THAT YOU WANNA HOLD AND KISS HIM.
HELLO.

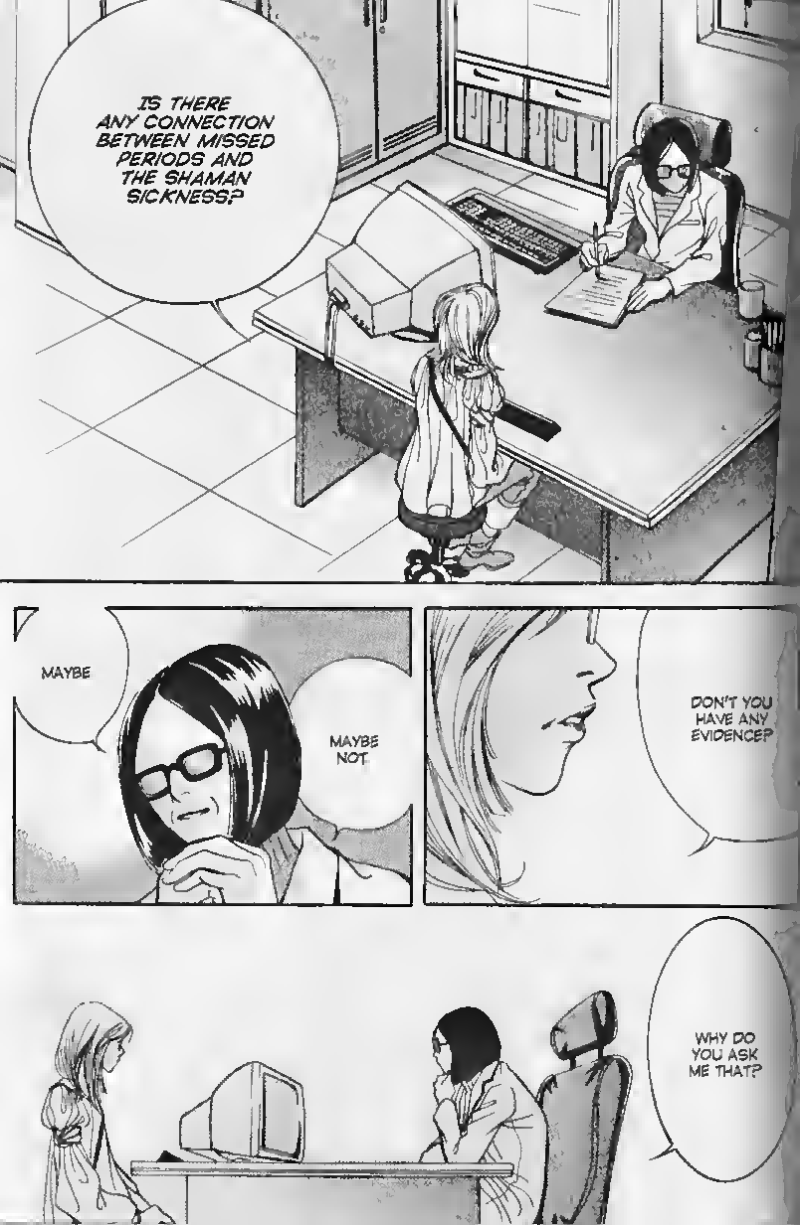
WANNA HOLD HIM! WANNA KISS HIM!
VROOM
GULP
VROO-
-OOM

ARE YOU OKAY?
VROOM
FASTER HONEY!
SMOOCH
GULP
WANNA HOLD HIM! WANNA KISS

AHH...STRANGE
THIS IS STRANGE
YOU BRAT...
IT JUST FELT
VERY WRONG.
WHAT'S
WRONG
WITH
YOU?!
AND
WHAT
ARE YOU
WEARING?
IT'S NOT
SUMMER,
YOU KNOW!
I'M NOT
GIVING
YOU MY
CLOTHES
TODAY.

SO-HEE OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY - FEMALE DOCTOR - NIGHT BIRTHINGS
소희
산부인과
여의사
야간분만
THIS IS DR SO-HEE KIM. SHE'S A FRIEND OF MINE
I THOUGHT YOU'D BE MORE COMFORTABLE WITH HER
EXIT
WHY ARE WE HERE?!
CONSULTATION ROOM
PLEASE WAIT IN HERE. I'LL BE WITH YOU IN A MOMENT.
LONG TIME NO SEE. I WAS STARTING TO THINK WE'D NEVER CROSS PATHS
IS SHE REALLY HIS FRIEND? SHE LOOKS OLD ENOUGH TO BE HIS MOM

WHO IS SHE?
DON'T ASSUME ANYTHING STRANGE
MY AUNT REALLY WANTS TO MEET YOU THE SHAMANS HAVE A GATHERING—
WON'T YOU EVER QUIT WITH THAT P!
HAVE YOU HEARD FROM YOUR WIFE?
NOT YET.
WHEN DID YOU HAVE YOUR LAST PERIOD?

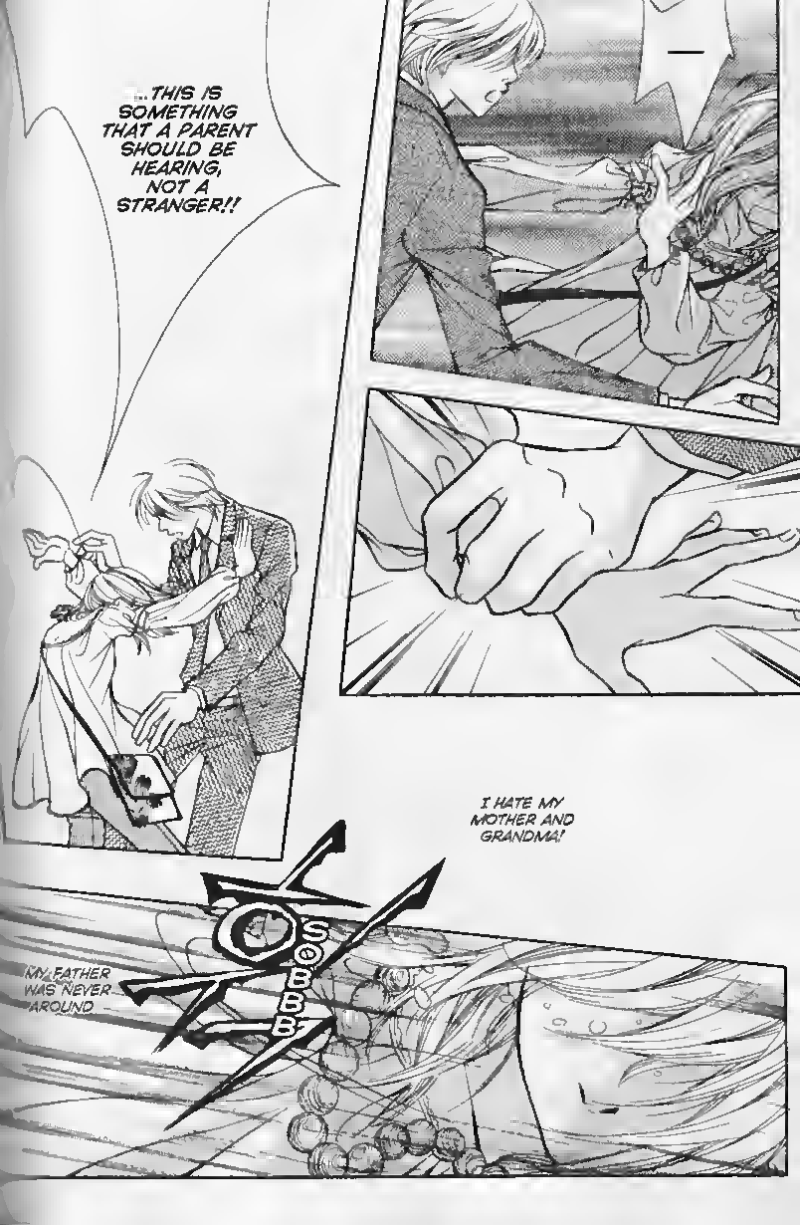

IS THERE ANY CONNECTION BETWEEN MISSED PERIODS AND THE SHAMAN SICKNESS?
MAYBE
MAYBE NOT
DON'T YOU HAVE ANY EVIDENCE?
WHY DO YOU ASK ME THAT?

I DON'T TRUST YOU. I'M NOT TALKING TO SOMEONE SO IRRESPONSIBLE.
You need
ELETER

BUN-NYUH!

I'VE NEVER GOTTEN MY PERIOD
MY GRANDMA'S A SHAMAN AND PEOPLE SAID MY MOM WENT CRAZY BECAUSE SHE REFUSED TO BE ONE
MAYBE THAT'S WHY MY FATHER LEFT MY MOTHER
PEOPLE SAY BECOMING A SHAMAN RUNS IN THE BLOOD I GUESS THAT MEANS I'M ONE TOO

I'LL HAVE TO LET SPIRITS POSSESS ME, FORECAST PEOPLE'S FUTURES, AND DO THAT MUMBO-JUMBO DANCE, WON'T I?
THIS IS PATHETIC
NOT MY DESTINY, BUT...
...BUT .
. THIS IS


...THIS IS SOMETHING THAT A PARENT SHOULD BE HEARING, NOT A STRANGER!!
I HATE MY MOTHER AND GRANDMA!
SOBBBB
MY FATHER WAS NEVER AROUND

WAAAAH!
I CAN'T EVEN HATE HIM!

DO YOU BELIEVE IN THAT?
NO. I CAN'T LET MYSELF
ME NEITHER
EVEN THOUGH MY WIFE COULDN'T HAVE A BABY, SHE WAS CONVINCED I'D BE A GOOD FATHER

I WAS... SCARED THAT WHAT I'D BELIEVED TO BE THE TRUTH WAS FALSE.
SO... I PRETENDED NOT TO KNOW ANYTHING.

YOU WOULDN'T BE A BAD DAD IF YOU DIDN'T EMBARRASS ME IN PUBLIC
EH SWELL
EH SWELL
WHERE COULD YOUR WIFE HAVE GONE? DO YOU THINK YOU CAN FIND HER?
PROBABLY NOT.

WHY NOT? DID YOU GIVE UP? IF SHE'S ALIVE, SHE'S OUT THERE, WAITING.

DRIP
YOUR EXISTENCE... TELLS ME THAT I CAN'T
IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I'VE SEEN THOSE GLASSES
FLOWER BREEZE HAIR SALON
꽃쌤미장원
PERM. HAIRCUT. STYLING

CHEER UP, DUDE YOU CAN TAKE THE EXAM AGAIN NEXT YEAR!
HA-HA-HA
DROP
TAKE IT AGAIN? I'D RATHER WORK ON A FISHING BOAT.
SMACK
WHAT THE HELL—?!!

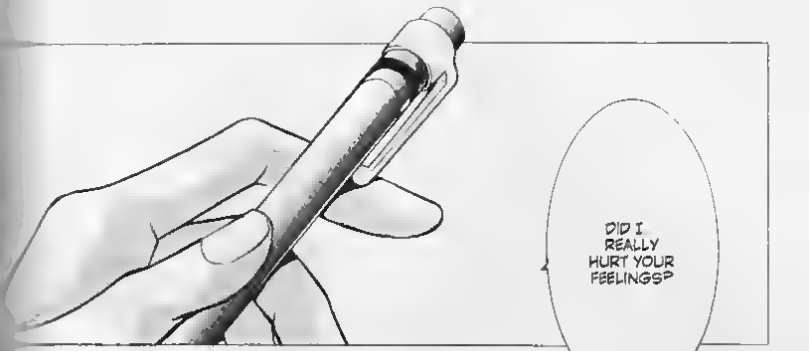
WATCH OUT FOR ICE ON THE ROAD
THUD
THIS IS YOURS, RIGHT?
TAKE IT WITH YOU.
EVEN A SMALL THING LIKE THIS HAS A SPIRIT... SO IF YOU DON'T TAKE CARE OF IT, YOU'LL END UP HURTING ITS FEELINGS.
OUCH...

IT WILL THINK ABOUT HOW UNLUCKY IT IS AND MISS YOU CARING FOR IT
꽃샘 미장원
9420- 5867
FLOWER BREEZE HAIR SALON
FOR LEASE
점포세
STYLING HAIRCUTS WORM HAIRCUTS FOR MEN DISCOUNT FOR SENIORS
올림너리 컷트 파
남성컷트 경로우대
꽃샘 미장원
FLOWER BREEZE HAIR SALON
THAT WAS HOW WE MET.

HI, I HAD A FEELING YOU'D BE VISITING ME SOON.
WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SHOP?
I SOLD IT A FEW DAYS AGO I'M MOVING TO THE U.S. TO BE WITH MY CHILDREN
YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO STOP COMING HERE, TAE-KYUNG.
YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR HER FOR SO LONG... YOU'VE DONE MORE THAN ENOUGH.

OH, MY!!
AH..
EH?
OH, SHE'S A FRIEND
AH, I SEE SORRY. I WAS THINKING SOMETHING ELSE
I DIDN'T EVEN OFFER YOU SOMETHING TO DRINK GIVE ME A SEC..

꽃 뱅 미장원
FLOWER BEETLE HAIR SALON
FLOWER BEETLE HAIR SALON
FOR LEASE
STYLING HAIRCUTS PERM HAIRCUTS FOR MEN DISCOUNT FOR SENIORS.
꽃 뱅 미장원
WX
YET ANOTHER PIECE OF EVIDENCE THAT MY WIFE EXISTED IS ABOUT TO DISAPPEAR.


DID I REALLY HURT YOUR FEELINGS?

바보
AM I STUPID? STUPID? STUPID?
바보
장원
HAIR SALON
PERM HAIRCUTS STYLING
퍼머 · 컷트 · 스
...

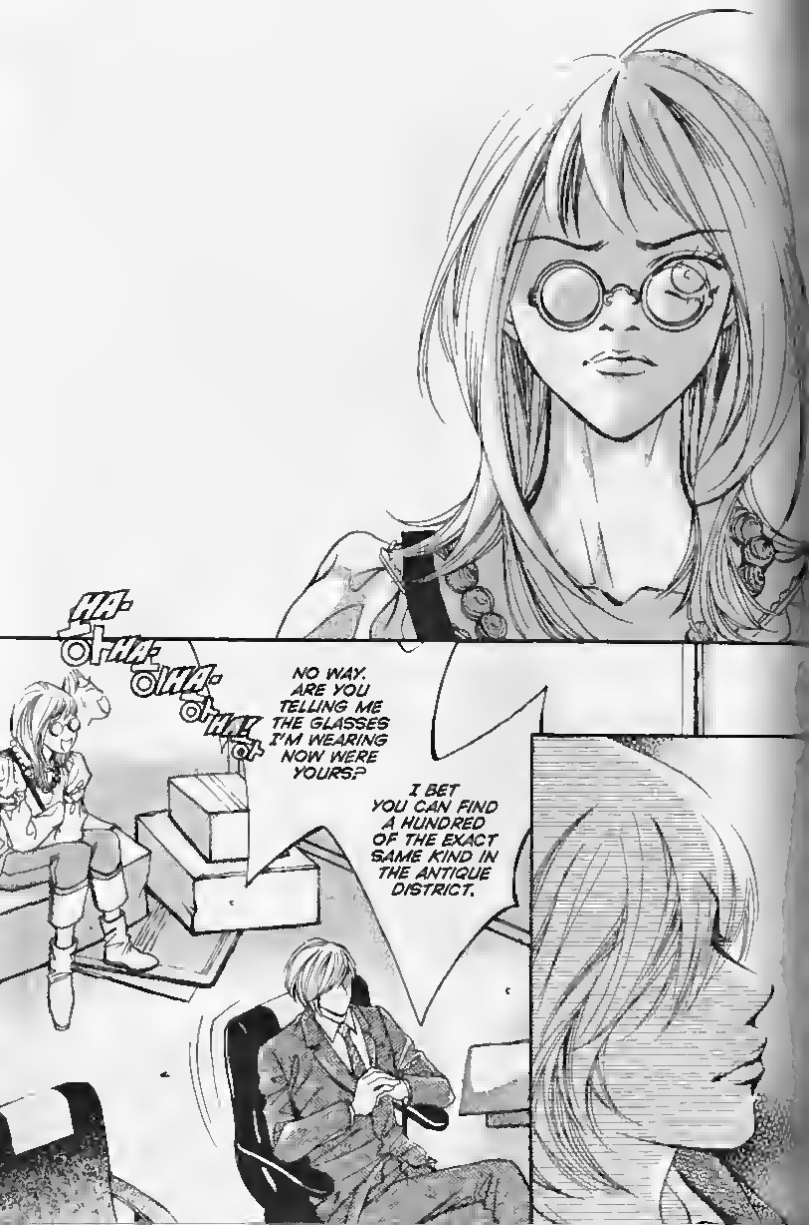
FLOWER BREEZE HAIR SALON
PERM HAIRCUTS STYLING
ZOOOOM
STUPID, STUPID!! WHY AM I RUNNING AWAY?!
WHU-
-UMP
ARE YOU NUTS?! I'VE NEVER HEARD OF OBJECTS HAVING DESTINIES!

PUT THOSE SCIS-SORS DOWN~!
HER HAIR HAS TO BE SHORTER IF SHE EVER WANTS TO SNAG A GOOD HUS-BAND.
AGH~! MY HAIR~! LET GO OF MY HAIR~! LET'S TALK ABOUT THIS~!
SHOVE
SNIP
YOU'RE SCARING OFF ALL OF MY CUSTOMERS!!
THIS YEAR IS HER LAST CHANCE TO WED.
ZOOM
WHAT THE HELL—?! I'M NEVER COMING BACK!
ARE YOU OKAY?

I'VE NEVER HEARD OF A WOMAN'S HAIRSTYLE AFFECTING HER MARRIAGE PROSPECTS
WHAT MAKES YOU AN EXPERT ANYWAY?
AS I THOUGHT SHE'S NUTS...
HEE-HEE
LOOK WHO'S SCARED!
...I WANT YOU TO TAKE OFF...

...YOUR GLASSES.
REALLY?!
THEY'RE OLD. WILL YOU BE CAREFUL WITH THEM?
DEFINITELY NERVOUS. I DIDN'T ASK HIM TO GIVE THEM TO ME...
THIS IS THE ONLY PAIR OF ITS KIND IN THE WHOLE WORLD. MY GRANDPA WAS A SCULPTOR AND MADE THESE GLASSES BY HIMSELF USING A TURTLE SHELL. TAKE THEM
—TRYING SO HARD
THEY'RE AS PRECIOUS AS MY EYES.

YOU LIKE ME, DON'T YOU?
THANK YOU I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU GAVE ME SOMETHING SO VALUABLE.
THE OLDER THE BETTER. EYES ARE THE DOORS THROUGH WHICH MEMORIES ENTER


HA-
HA-
HA-
HA-
NO WAY. ARE YOU TELLING ME THE GLASSES I'M WEARING NOW WERE YOURS?
I BET YOU CAN FIND A HUNDRED OF THE EXACT SAME KIND IN THE ANTIQUE DISTRICT.

IF THESE GLASSES ARE HIS GLASSES.
. THAT MEANS EITHER HIS WIFE THREW THEM AWAY...
OR
BLURRY
BLURRY
NO WAY! IT'S TOO MUCH OF A COINCIDENCE!
HUH?
THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS COINCIDENCE YOU MET THE PERSON YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO MEET.

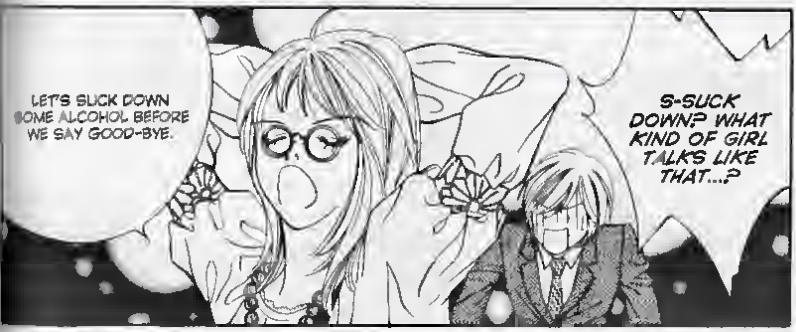
TRUST IN WHAT YOU SEE
WHAT THE EYES SEE, THE HEART REMEMBERS...

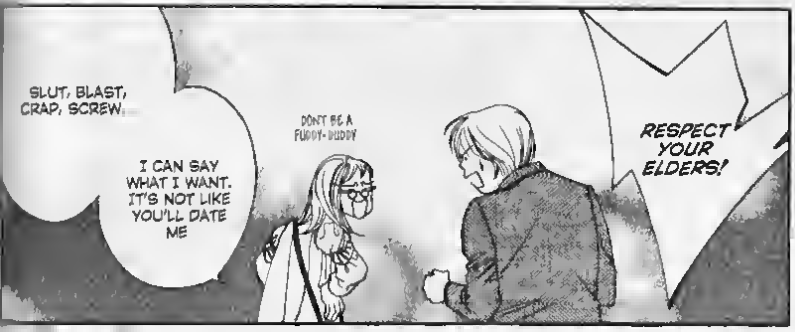
M...

FLOWER BREEZE HAIR SALON
9420 - 6867
...MOMP!

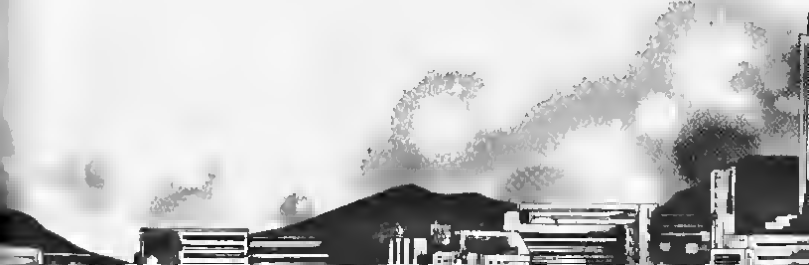
THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING
I'D LIKE TO MEET YOUR MOM AND MAYBE I CAN HELP FIND YOUR DAD.
...IS DEAD.
MY MOM

SOMEONE ONCE TOLD ME THERE ARE NO COINCIDENCES. IF MY DAD AND I ARE MEANT TO MEET, WE WILL.
DON'T YOU GIVE UP EITHER! FIND YOUR WIFE, FIND OUT WHY SHE RAN AWAY. GOT IT?!
THOUGH THE ANSWER YOU'RE LOOKING FOR IS DIFFERENT
IT'S A DEAL
...AND IT WON'T BE EASY ..AND I MAY NOT BE ABLE TO ACCEPT IT..
...BUT I'M SURE YOU CAN FIND IT
OF COURSE!



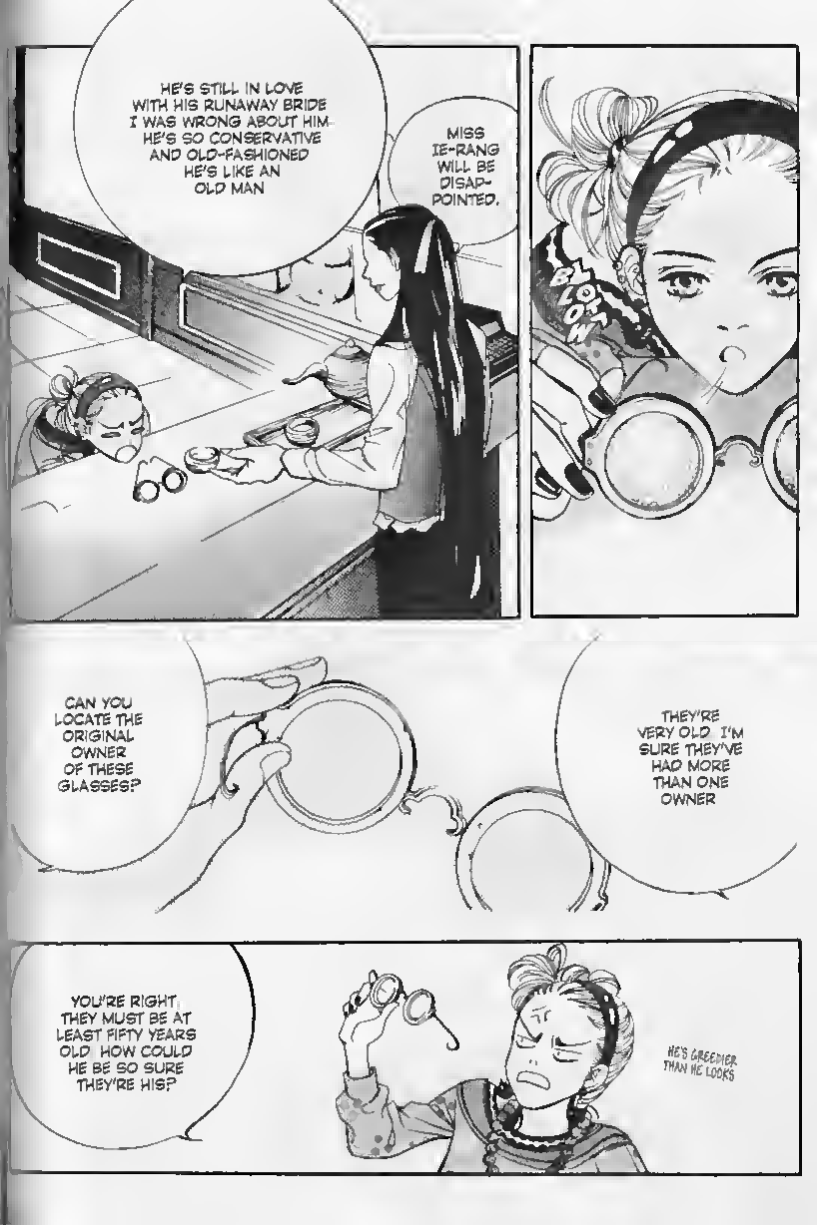


THE ROAD IS LONG, BUT I'M SURE YOU CAN MAKE IT...



ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP

SO YOU DECIDED NOT TO PURSUE A RELATIONSHIP AFTER ALL?


HE'S STILL IN LOVE WITH HIS RUNAWAY BRIDE I WAS WRONG ABOUT HIM. HE'S SO CONSERVATIVE AND OLD-FASHIONED HE'S LIKE AN OLD MAN
MISS IE-RANG WILL BE DISAP-POINTED.
BLOW
CAN YOU LOCATE THE ORIGINAL OWNER OF THESE GLASSES?
THEY'RE VERY OLD I'M SURE THEY'VE HAD MORE THAN ONE OWNER
YOU'RE RIGHT. THEY MUST BE AT LEAST FIFTY YEARS OLD. HOW COULD HE BE SO SURE THEY'RE HIS?
HE'S GREEDIER THAN HE LOOKS

I SAW SOMETHING STRANGE I DON'T KNOW IF IT WAS A DELUSION OR WHAT.
COULD THE GLASSES INSPIRE VISIONS?
EYES ARE CONVERSATIONAL TOOLS THAT CONNECT PEOPLE. THEY EXPRESS FEELINGS, EVINCE LOVE, AND COLLECT MEMORIES
EYES ARE CALLED THE WINDOWS TO THE HEART BECAUSE YOUR HEART IS ALWAYS RIGHT BEHIND THEM
MY GUESS IS THE OWNER, WHO LOVED THOSE GLASSES LIKE NO OTHER, USED YOUR EYES TO SEE WHAT SHE WANTED TO SEE

OR MAYBE WHAT SHE WANTED TO SHOW YOU...

...

WHAT?!

YOU DIDN'T ACCUSE ME OF TALKING NONSENSE

BECAUSE IT'S SO OBVIOUSLY NONSENSE!!

ACCORDING TO YOU, THE GHOST IN THE GLASSES EVEN SAW ME TAKING A DUMP! DO YOU MAKE THIS JUNK UP?!

THIS WORLD...
...IS FULL OF SECRETS THAT CAN'T BE EXPLAINED BY SCIENCE OR MAN'S PERCEPTION.
IS IT EGO THAT KEEPS HUMANS FROM BELIEVING, ALLOWING THEM TO IGNORE THE UNKNOWABLE?
OR IS THAT MERELY THE NATURE OF MIRACLES...?

TAE KYUNG HAN
OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY
HE'S ON THE PHONE WOULD YOU LIKE TO WAIT FOR HIM?
NO, THAT'S OKAY.
PLEASE JUST GIVE HIM THESE
TAK
탁

I MIGHT BE WRONG, BUT...
NURSE KIM—

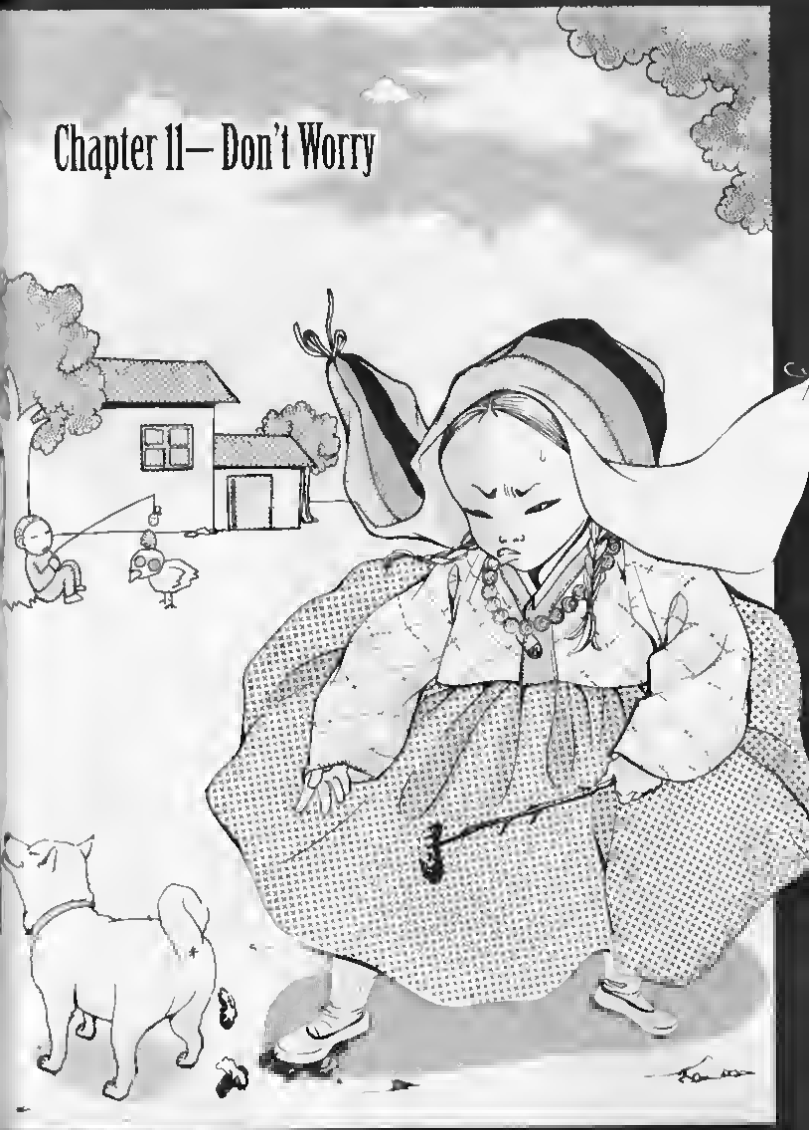
OH!
WHA?
THOSE GLASSES...
SORRY THEY WERE TOO UNIQUE TO NOT TRY ON. MISS BUN-NYUH CHO LEFT THEM FOR YOU..

THANK YOU.
YOU CAN GO
HOME NOW

TRUTH BE TOLD, I WAS EXCITED
IT WAS LIKE MEETING YOU FOR THE FIRST TIME .

I'M SILLY, AREN'T I?

Chapter 11– Don't Worry



KID WHY ARE YOU CRYING?
I BROKE MY MOM'S FAVORITE JAR
I SHOULD TELL MOM THAT I BROKE IT, BUT I'M TOO SCARED OF WHAT SHE MIGHT DO
I SEE. I UNDERSTAND.

HERE, THIS WILL HELP
BEFORE YOU GO TO BED, PRAY TO THIS PRAY THAT YOUR MOM WON'T GET MAD AT YOU WHEN YOU TELL HER THE TRUTH
THEN PUT IT UNDER YOUR PILLOW, AND GO TO SLEEP
WHILE YOU'RE SLEEPING, IT WILL TRAVEL FROM THE PILLOW TO YOUR MOM AND GRANT YOUR WISH...

MISS IE-RANG HA! DIRECTOR JI-ONG KIM MENTIONED THAT HE WAS THINKING ABOUT CASTING MISS NA-RI OH AS "GOM-SOON" IN HIS NEXT MOVIE. YOUR REACTION?
MURMUR
WEREN'T YOU SUPPOSED TO BE "GOM-SOON"? I HEARD YOU ALREADY REHEARSED THE SCENES.
WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT MISS NA-RI OH?
YOU'RE SMILING DO YOU KNOW SOMETHING WE DON'T?
SNAP
SNAP
SNAP
HOW DO YOU COMPETE WITH A RIVAL STARLET WHO'S STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL?
PAK

WATCH YOUR MOUTH!
MISS NA-RI OH IS A TALENTED, YOUNG ACTRESS WHOM I RESPECT GREATLY.
SNAP
GRIND

Interview Ie-Rang Ha
"I will give up my role to benefit a new star!"
She respects Director Kim's decision!
Ie-Rang Ha is genuine and down-to-earth. She said she's eager to see Na-Ri Oh's interpretation of "Gom-Soon."
GENUINE? EARTHY? NO WAY! YOU KNOW SHE'S TOTALLY CURSING THAT GIRL UP AND DOWN IN PRIVATE!
NA-RI OH IS DEAD MEAT
TSK-TSK PEOPLE ARE SO NAIVE
ANY GOOD SHOWS TONIGHT? LET'S SEE, MAY TWENTY F—
THE TWENTY-FIFTH IS PAYDAY!
MISS CHO. I HAVE SOMETHING TO TELL Y—
TODAY'S THE TWENTY-FIFTH!!
TWENTY-FIFTH!!

MISS CHO! COME BACK...
TELL ME LATER!
EATING
DO I HAVE TO GIVE UP ON YOU?!

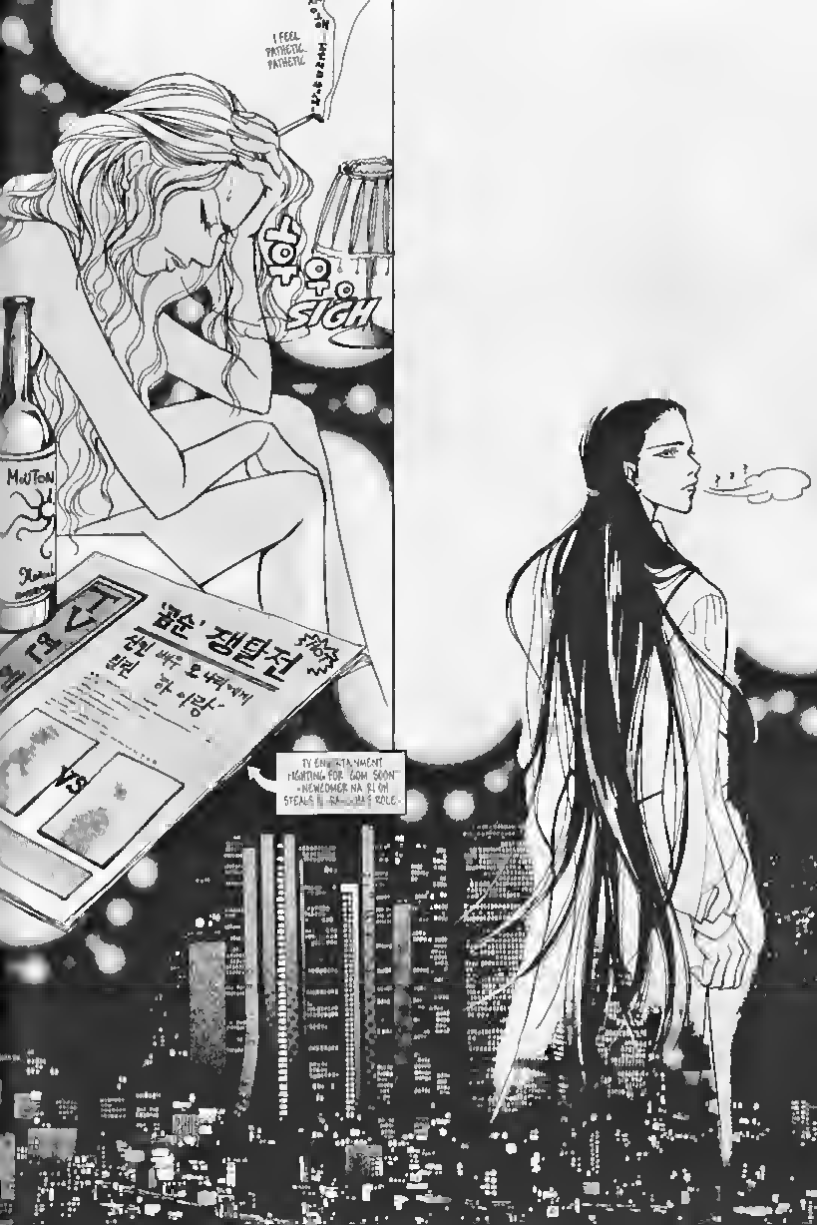
NO, NO. I CAN'T LET YOU GO JUST BECAUSE I HAVE TO PAY MY PART-TIME HELP. I JUST NEED A LITTLE MORE DOUGH, AND YOU'RE MINE!
NAOMIYANG
NAOMIYANG LUXURY CLOTHIERS
SALE
I JUST HAVE TO PUT UP WITH HIS WHINING FOR ANOTHER MONTH, AND THEN I CAN HAVE YOU.
THIN
WHY...
...ISN'T THERE ANYONE THAT WILL WORK FOR ME FOR FREEEEE?

I REALLY HAVE TO TELL HER TODAY...
SIGH
SOB
SOB
SOB
SOB
SOB
SNIFF
ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP
?
ARE YOU OKAY?
SNIFF

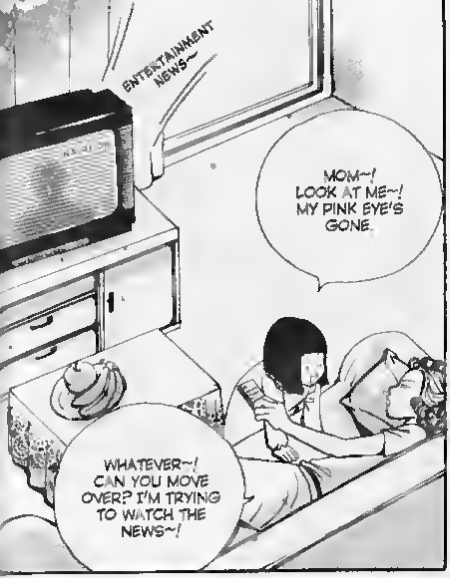
THERE'S A BOY NAMED SUNG-HYUN IN MY CLASS. HE'S IN THE STUDENT COUNCIL.
HE INVITED ME TO HIS BIRTHDAY PARTY TOMORROW, BUT I CAN'T GO.
WHY NOT?
BECAUSE OF MY EYE.
SOB
SOB
SOB
SOB
HERE, THIS WILL HELP
?

IT'S CALLED A "WORRY DOLL."
BEFORE YOU GO TO BED, TELL THIS DOLL ALL ABOUT YOUR PROBLEMS
THEN PUT IT UNDER YOUR PILLOW
WHILE YOU'RE SLEEPING, THE DOLL WILL TAKE YOUR WORRIES AND THROW THEM AWAY.

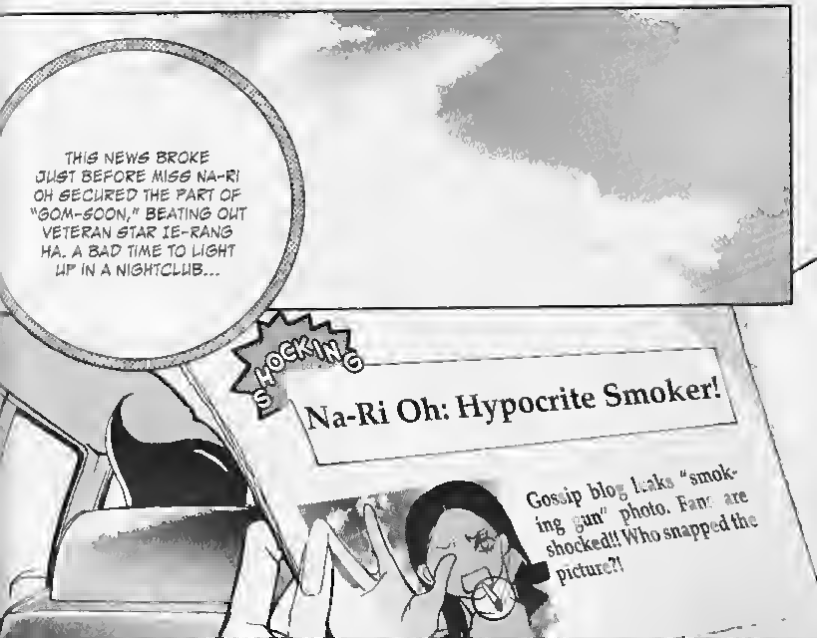
I SUSPECT THERE ARE MANY WHO NEED THIS DOLL TONIGHT...
NAOMIYANG LUXURY CLOTHIERS
NAOMIYANG
I WANT IT
I WANT IT
I WANT IT


I FEEL PATHETIC. PATHETIC
한숨
SIGH
MUTON
TV
'곰손' 갱탈전
VS
TV ENTERTAINMENT FIGHTING FOR "GOM SOON" NEWCOMER NA RI OH STEALS IN RA... HA'S ROLE.

WHOA. HE WAS RIGHT~!
MY PINK EYE'S GONE!


ENTERTAINMENT NEWS~
MOM~! LOOK AT ME~! MY PINK EYE'S GONE.
WHATEVER~! CAN YOU MOVE OVER? I'M TRYING TO WATCH THE NEWS~!

MISS NA-RI OH, SPOKESMAN FOR THE ANTI-SMOKING LOBBY, IS SECRETLY A CHAIN SMOKER. FANS HAVE REACTED WITH A FEELING OF BETRAYAL


THIS NEWS BROKE JUST BEFORE MISS NA-RI OH SECURED THE PART OF "GOM-SOON," BEATING OUT VETERAN STAR IE-RANG HA. A BAD TIME TO LIGHT UP IN A NIGHTCLUB...
SHOCKING
Na-Ri Oh: Hypocrite Smoker!
Gossip blog leaks "smoking gun" photo. Fans are shocked!! Who snapped the picture?!

IF NA-RI OH IS OUT, I GUESS YOU'RE BACK IN AS "GOM-SOON," YEAH?
POOR THING
I WONDER WHO SENT THOSE PICTURES TO THE NEWSPAPER. THE TIMING ALMOST SEEMS INTENTIONAL.
BEATS ME
킥 HEH-HEH...
연예신문 ENTERTAINMENT NEWS
DID YOU JUST LAUGH?
NOPE.
TEE-HEE
YOU DID IT AGAIN!
NO. HAW!

REALLY~?
YES I WAS WORRIED AFTER THE CUSTOMER BOUGHT THE RUG ON CREDIT, AND I DIDN'T HEAR FROM HIM. THEN HE CAME IN AND PAID CASH!
THAT DIRTY OL' RUG? HOW MUCH??
I AM SO SORRY I KNOW I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO EXTEND CREDIT, BUT-
NO NO YOU'RE A MODEL EMPLOYEE!
THIRTY NINE FORTY
THIS IS MORE THAN ENOUGH~!!!

IT'S GONE!
ZOOM
IT'S GONE.
I'LL NEVER SELL STUFF ON CREDIT AGAIN
I'M NOT INTERESTED IN THAT ROLE ANY LONGER.
IT'S GONE!
MY WORRY IS GONE!!

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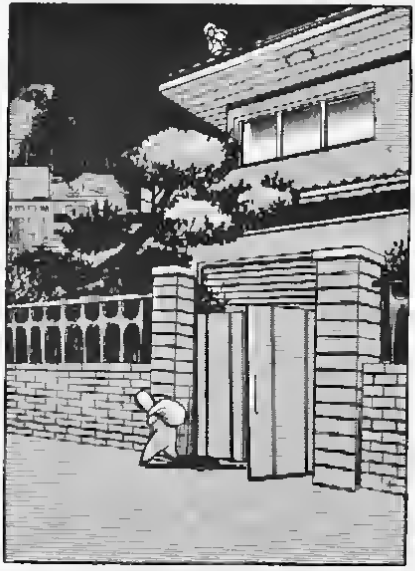
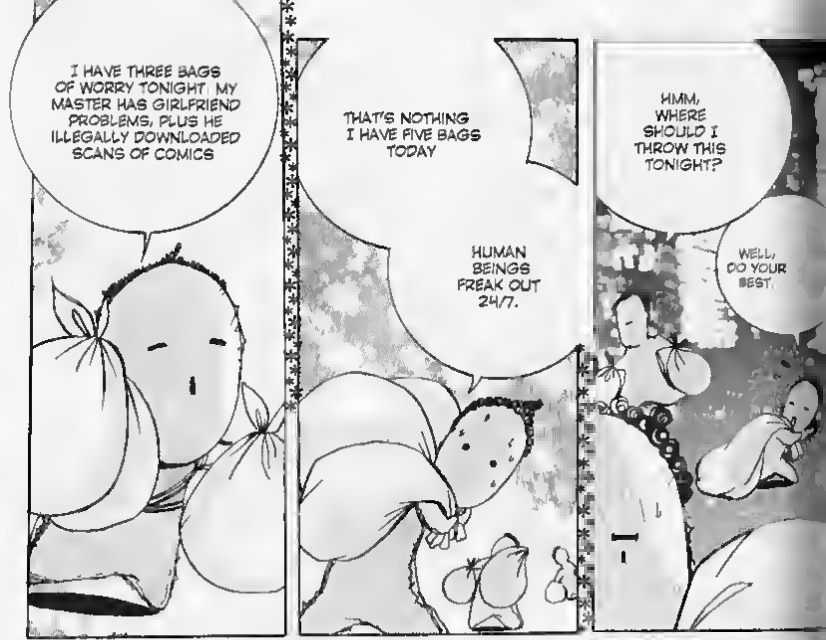
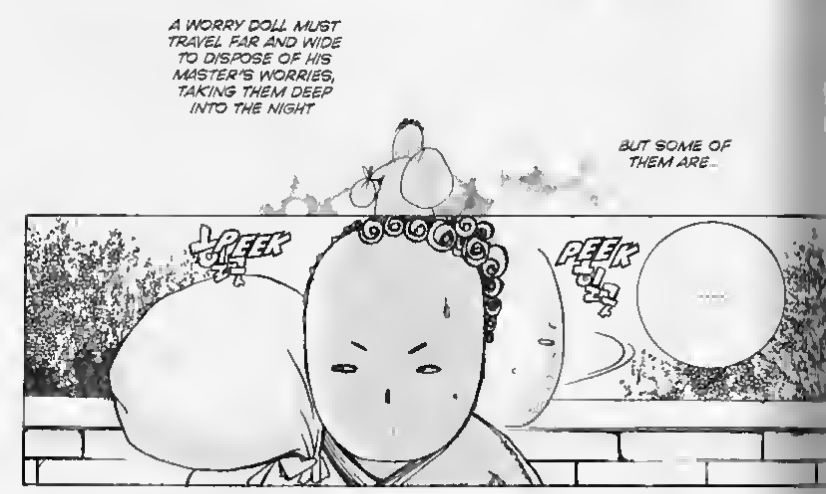


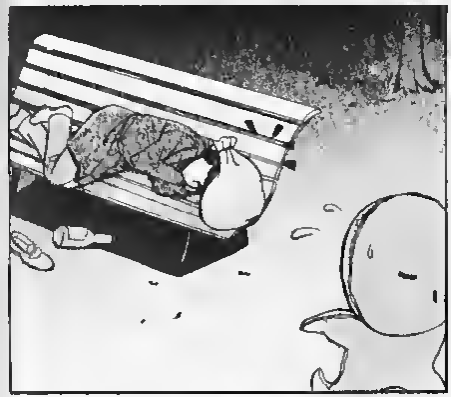
HEY~
HEY.

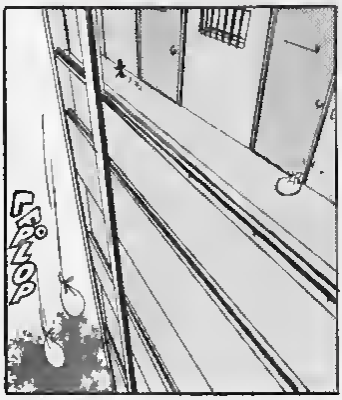
버그
GATHER 2
버그
GATHER 2

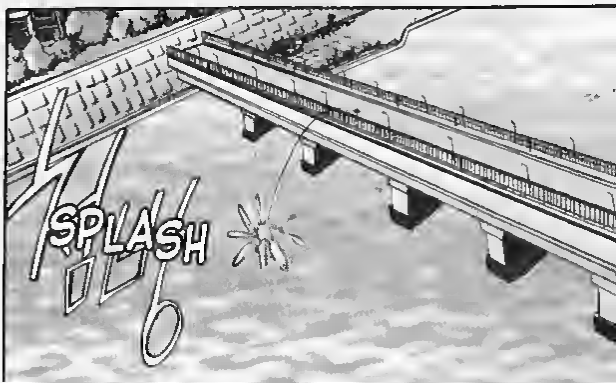

I HAVE THREE BAGS OF WORRY TONIGHT. MY MASTER HAS GIRLFRIEND PROBLEMS, PLUS HE ILLEGALLY DOWNLOADED SCANS OF COMICS
THAT'S NOTHING I HAVE FIVE BAGS TODAY
HUMAN BEINGS FREAK OUT 24/7.
HMM, WHERE SHOULD I THROW THIS TONIGHT?
WELL, DO YOUR BEST.


A WORRY DOLL MUST TRAVEL FAR AND WIDE TO DISPOSE OF HIS MASTER'S WORRIES, TAKING THEM DEEP INTO THE NIGHT
BUT SOME OF THEM ARE...
PEEK
PEEK

I'M SO LAZY
히
TOSS
NO DUMPING OF WORRY BAGS
걱정보따리 불법투기 단속구역




FLOP


SPLASH

TOSS
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TOSS
TOSS
ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP

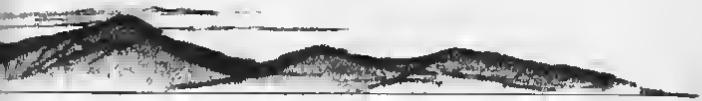
KID..
WHY ARE
YOU CRYING
AGAIN?

I WOKE UP WITH A WHOLE NEW WORRY
WHY DOES ANOTHER WORRY COME AFTER ONE WORRY IS GONE?
WHERE DO THESE PROBLEMS COME FROM?
KID, WORRIES AREN'T SO COMPLICATED
WE WORRY ABOUT THE SUMMER IN THE SPRING, AND WE WORRY ABOUT THE WINTER IN THE FALL.

IF WE DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE NEXT SEASON, WE'LL HAVE A HARD TIME WHEN THE TRANSITION OCCURS

A WORRY DOESN'T COME FROM ANYWHERE IT'S WITH US ALL THE TIME. THAT'S ONE THING YOU SHOULDN'T WORRY ABOUT.

COME CLOSER I'LL TELL YOU AN INTERESTING STORY



IF PEOPLE'S WORRIES KEEP GROWING LARGER, THERE WON'T BE ENOUGH ROOM ON THE PLANET TO DISPOSE OF THEM

OVERWORKED WORRY DOLLS WILL GROW LAZY AND TOSS THEIR MASTERS' CONCERNS WILLY-NILLY, SO SOMETIMES WE WILL END UP WITH THE WORRIES OF OTHERS.

SIGH
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WHAT GOOD IS A DESIGNER HANDBAG IF I HAVE NO DESIGNER CLOTHES TO GO WITH IT?
I SHOULDN'T HAVE PAID HIM
I GOT AN INFECTION FROM THAT GIRL.
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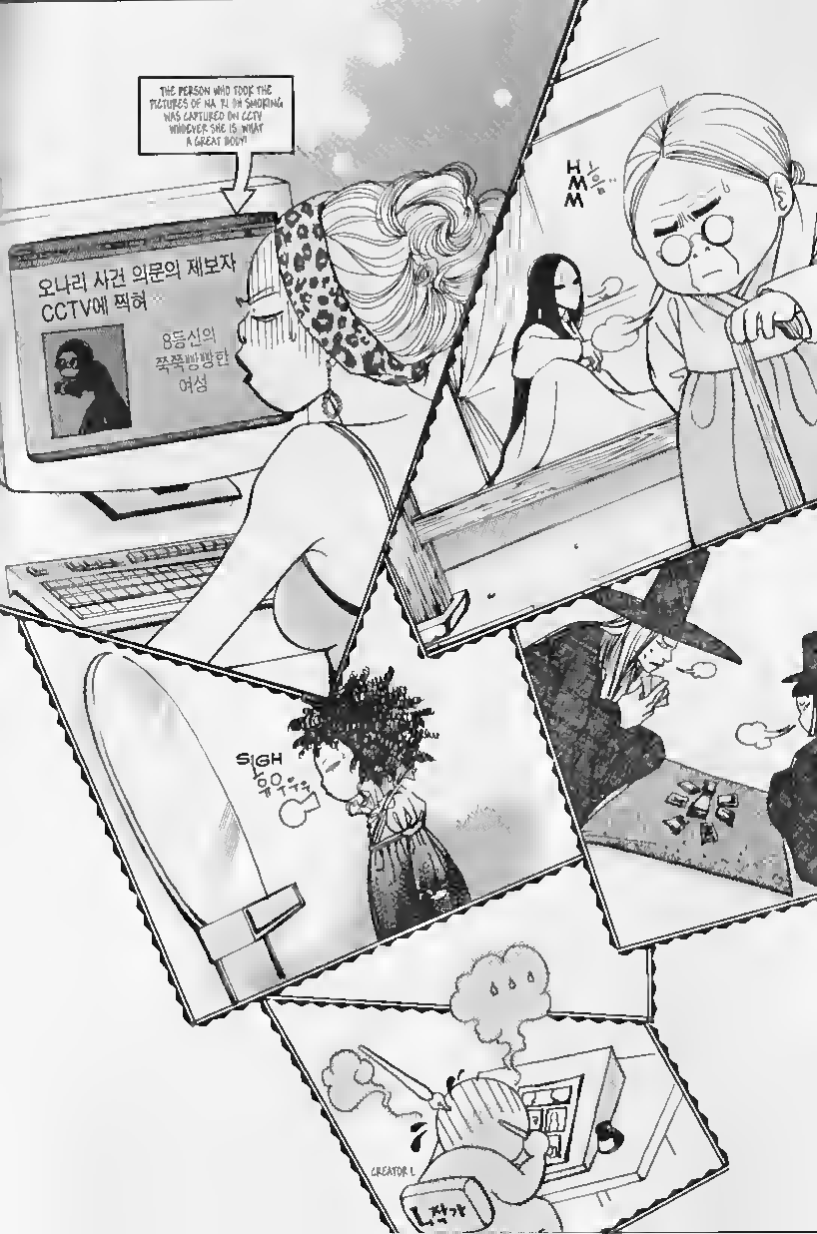
I WISH I'D WIN THE LOTTERY


THE PERSON WHO TOOK THE PICTURES OF NA YI IM SMOKING WAS CAPTURED ON CCTV WHOEVER SHE IS WHAT A GREAT BODY!
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WORRY DOLLS

THESE TINY DOLLS ARE USED BY GUATEMALAN INDIANS. THEY ARE ABOUT 15 CM TALL. GUATEMALAN INDIANS TELL THEIR WORRIES TO THEIR DOLLS BEFORE GOING TO BED, AND THEN PLACE THEM UNDER THEIR PILLOWS. THEY BELIEVE THAT THESE DOLLS THROW AWAY THE SLEEPING MASTER'S WORRIES IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT, ALLOWING THEM TO WAKE UP WORRY-FREE IN THE MORNING

TO BE CONTINUED IN THE ANTIQUE GIFT SHOP VOLUME 7!